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## BANDIT KILLED BANK CASHIER

### Baffled in Attempt at Robbery he Shoots With Fatal Effect.

### MOB THREATENS HIS LIFE

Shoots Several Others In Effort to Escape—Bank President and Chauffeur Victims—New Albany, Ind., Scene.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 11.—In an attempt at bank robbery, a young man who has been partially identified as Arthur Hall, of Louisville, a dealer in second-hand furniture, entered the Merchants' National Bank of New Albany, Ind., shortly before noon today and killed J. Hangary Fawcett, cashier of the bank, seriously wounded John K. Woodward, president of the bank, and wounded James R. Tucker, a negro chauffeur, probably fatally.

When Hall entered the bank he carried a pistol in each hand. After commanding every one to throw up his hands and "get into the vault," Hall began shooting.

Cashier Fawcett was shot through the chest and neck, and died almost instantly. President Woodward was shot through the liver and his intesines were perforated. Tucker, the chauffeur, was shot through the body.

Following the shooting the murderer rushed from the bank and tried to escape in an automobile which he had taken from the curb in front of the residence of its owner, Mrs. Walter Escott, in Louisville. He had forced the negro chauffeur at the point of a pistol to drive him to New Albany.

After the shooting at the bank the chauffeur was paralyzed with terror and apparently incapable of action, sat still when the robber jumped into the car and ordered him to speed up the machine. The robber then jumped out of the automobile, shot the negro in the back and ran two blocks to the Ohio River. He seized a skiff and was on his way to the Louisville side of the river before the frightened citizens of New Albany knew what had transpired. An alarm was given through a megaphone on a dredge boat and in a short time several policemen had started in pursuit in a fast motor boat.

Capturing their man they brought him to shore where by a a rush Police Captain Adams kept back the crowd of 200 persons which crowded around the dock as the police boat landed. Commanding the prisoner to lie down, Captain Adams announced to the crowd that the man had taken poison and was dead, meanwhile carrying him to the patrol wagon and giving the word to drive ahead. The bandit was taken to New Albany jail. A few moments later he was removed to the Southern Indiana Reformatory, at Jeffersonville, to escape the mob which realizing that it had been tricked, had assembled around the jail.

In his cell at the reformatory the prisoner refused to give his name and talked only when hard pressed by questions.

He said that he had been around Louisville for several days. He did not know Tucker, the chauffeur, and declared Tucker was not implicated in the attempt on the bank.

"I won't tell my name. I have seven brothers and sisters. My father don't live with my mother and all of them are not within six hundred miles of this place. I never was in trouble but once. That was at Lexington, Ky., on Halloween a long time ago."

He seemed to be confused, but is apparently not insane. He confessed that he planned the robbery of the bank and says he had no assistance.

The bandit is good looking, in a boyish, somewhat effeminate way. His red hair had been recently cut. He is not over 20 years old and is five feet six inches tall.

**Desperado Identified.**

Tonight the bandit was identified as Thomas Jefferson Hall, and according to William J. Hall, his father, the desperado is but 17 years old. The elder Hall, who has a furniture store at 802 South Preston street, in this city, said that young Hall was a household tyrant and not insane at all.

"He is simply mean," said the father. The family is formerly of Knoxville, Tenn.

W. J. Hall detailed his son's actions for the last few years, saying that dime novels had been the youth's constant reading.

Among young Hall's effects was found a powerfully made cabinet, lined and outfitted like a room. It is believed that the boy expected to escape with his loot today, crawling into the box which was consigned to "R. J. Smith, Knoxville, Tenn." and escape as freight.

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The best the National Sporting Club members could give Billy Papke, the Illinois thunderbolt, after his fight of six rounds last night at Dusquesne Gardens, Pittsburg, with Frank Klaus, the east Pittsburg middle weight, was a draw.

## AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Business Phonographs in Executive Offices—Ceremonies at Greenville—Gen. Armfield Pleased With Wilmington.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 11.—Edison business phonographs were installed in the executive office of Governor Kitchin and in the office of State Treasurer Lacy today for taking the correspondence and other dictation, thereby relieving the stenographers of that phase of office work. These machines will be tested by the State officials and if they prove advantageous a number of the other State departments will be equipped with them.

The Dixon-Witherspoon Co., Charlotte, is chartered with $25,000 capital authorized and $6,000 subscribed for mercantile business by T. W. Dixon, T. J. Witherspoon and others.

Hon. J. Y. Joyner went today to Greenville to attend the sessions of the District Association of County Superintendents of Public Schools and the special meeting of the principals of rural high schools of the same territory, embracing about 50 high schools. He will also be in Greenville for the ceremony tomorrow inaugurating R. H. Wright as the president of the East Carolina Teacher Training School. Governor Kitchin and other State officers will also attend this ceremony. The principal address will be by President Wright, outlining his plans and policies in the direction of the affairs of the splendid new institution.

The funeral of the late Dr. A. T. Cotton was held this morning from the residence of Dr. J. R. Rogers, on Hillsboro street, and the interment was in the family burying ground at Morrisville, 12 miles from Raleigh, where Dr. Cotten practiced his profession successfully for so many years. The service was by Rev. A. J. Moncrief, pastor of Tabernacle Baptist church, of which Dr. Cotten was an active member and a deacon. The floral tributes were especially numerous and beautiful.

Adjutant General J. F. Armfield, just back from the great Taft demonstration at Wilmington, says that he was pleased beyond measure at the complete success scored by the military features of the big event. Indeed, it was a brilliant and most creditable affair in every respect anyway, but the success of the military features appealed to him especially. He said the men of the various companies made even more creditable showing in parade and drill work than did the regulars in line.

There was a burglar alarm at the Jolly-Wynne Jewelry store, on Fayetteville street, late last night. It sounded from one of the rear doors opening into the work rooms and leading into the main store. Prompt investigation by officers and Mr. Jolly led to no clue to the would-be burglar. The door had been tampered with by someone who was evidently unaware that the place is equipped with a burglar alarm system.

State Horticulturalist W. N. Hutt and Assistant Horticulturalist S. B. Shaw have gone to Council Bluff, Ia., to attend the annual session of the National Horticultural Congress. They carried with them apples with which to demonstrate North Carolina's apple growing industry and compete for valuable prizes offered for best exhibits in connection with the National Apple Show that will be held in connection with the Congress.

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The Synod of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Alabama yesterday endorsed the constitutional prohibition amendment. The meeting of the Synod closed last night with a temperance rally.

## BAXTER SHEMWELL TO SERVE

Supreme Court Affirms Sentence of Lower Court as to Lexington Man—Other Opinions Declared Yesterday.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 11.—That Baxter Shemwell, member of a prominent family of Lexington, who shot to death Dr. Payne in that town a number of years ago, must serve five months in the Guilford county jail for drawing two revolvers on a Southern Railway conductor who refused to violate orders and stop a through train at Lexington for him to get off, is the effect of the action of the State Supreme Court this afternoon in affirming the trial, conviction and sentence of the lower court.

In another case, State vs. Hilton, from Guilford, the court holds that Judge Long erred when he called up the case against the defendant and passed sentence after Judge Ferguson had three years before suspended judgment on payment of costs and bond for good behavior which had been subsequently discharged. The court holds that the former case has been fully satisfied and could not be revived as a punishment for subsequent violations. His offense was selling whiskey.

Other cases in the list of opinions delivered today follow: Jackson vs. Farmer, Sampson county, error; Young vs. Brocks Mfg. Co., Chatham, affirmed; Bolton vs. Daniel, Guilford, affirmed; McKenzie vs. Development Co., Guilford, affirmed; Mangum vs. Mangum, Durham, affirmed; Campbell vs. Huffins, Guilford, affirmed; Smith vs. Furniture Co., Guilford, affirmed; State vs. Record, Randolph, affirmed; Wise vs. Thomasville, Davidson, affirmed; Moorefield vs. Lackey, Randolph, affirmed; Trust Co. vs. Mason, Durham, new trial; Cox vs. Railroad, Randolph, per curiam, affirmed; Drug Co., vs. Railroad Co., Alamance, per curiam affirmed; Lemmons vs. L. & N. Railroad, Morganton, per curiam, affirmed.

## FOR THE DRAINAGE OF SWAMP LANDS

### Second Annual Convention of North Carolina Drainage Association.

### NOW IN SESSION AT NEWBERN

Three Million Acres of Land in Eastern Carolina for Reclamation. Addresses by Prominent Speakers.

Newbern, N. C., Nov. 11.—With a view to the draining and reclamation of nearly three million acres of swamp lands in the State, one hundred delegates to the North Carolina Drainage Association gathered here today. The lands in question are nearly all found in the eastern part of North Carolina and are declared to be highly productive. The opening session of the convention was addressed by Representative John H. Small and A. W. Graham, State Commissioner of Agriculture.

The greater part of the session was given up to a discussion of the best means of draining the swamp lands, the debate being led by E. W. Myers, of Greensboro, and Joseph Hyde Pratt State Geologist. Harry W. Wolcott, of the Norfolk & Southern railroad, spoke on "The Railroad's Interests in Drainage." Tomorrow the delegates will be taken down the Neuse river on the United States revenue cutter Pamlico. At the afternoon session the annual election of officers will be held.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., Nov. 11.—The first day's session of the convention was called to order at 10:30, President John Wilkinson, Secretary Joseph Hyde Pratt, State Geologist, and nearly a hundred delegates present. Mayor McCarthy's welcome address gave every assurance to the delegates.

J. O. Wright, of the U. S. Drainage Department, made the best address on practical farming ever heard in this section. He illustrated his talk by maps and charts, showing lands under cultivation now in Eastern North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia that were useless many years previous as a result of being improperly drained. He produced charts showing an estimate of the cost of producing a crop on a 40-acre farm before and after drainage, convincing beyond a doubt that the drained farm is profitable while the undrained farm was a burden. The delegates were intensely interested in the address, discussing freely his suggestions for planting certain crops, what kind of crops it would bring, prices to be sold for and the total profit from the farm.

A telegram from Congressman Godwin was read to the convention, expressing regrets at his not attending and assuring the convention of his hearty support of the work.

Congressman John H. Small, the next speaker, regarded drainage of lands among the important questions before the public today. The first great question was the advancement in development of the soil and the next great advancement was the better education of the children; then came the construction of better highways and the better utilization of our waterways and now comes the development of properly draining farm lands.

Commissioner of Agriculture W. A. Graham spoke with hearty support of the movement. He hoped for conditions before the war to return again in the South and tendered the services of his department of State in accomplishment of better drained farms which meant valuable farms.

H. K. Wolcott, receiver of the N. & S., pledged the support of the railroads. Better drainage meant better farms, better farms meant more freight for railroads, hence the railroads were deeply interested, he said, and were ready to aid in the work.

Tonight's session consisted of two illustrated talks, one on "Saving the Nation's Waste," by Mr. Briston Adams, of the U. S. Forestry Reserve. the other on "The Relations of Drainage to Good Roads,' 'by Mr. M. O. Eldridge, of the United States office of Public Roads.

All the delegates were given a reception tonight by the local lodge of Elks in their club rooms. Owing to the illness of his son with typhoid fever, Editor Josephus Daniels, is not attending the convention.

## RECORD ON ATLANTA TRACK

Aiken Wins Feature Event in a Furious Drive of 20 Miles—Robertson Again Comes to Front. Day of Races.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 11.—John Aiken at the wheel of a National "Forty" lowered another American track record at the speedway today. In a furious drive of 20 miles, in every moment of which he was closely pursued from behindhe he set the new mark of 16:42?6. This is 11:04 better than Oldfield's record a Indianapolis.

George Robertson at last was able to enter a race and finish it. Yesterday and Tuesday he started in several events but never lasted more than a lap or two. He spent his time searching for some minute, elusive defeat which seemed to keep in hiding in practice, only to bob up as soon as a race was on.

The big blond driver, smiling as he had smiled all through his ill-luck, withdrew from the 20 mile handicap at the end of the first mile, but came back grinning and faced the wire in the 10 mile handicap which he won in a hard drive over Aiken and Harding, the latter in an Apperson, in 07:47.71. He promptly repeated this performance in the 10 mile free for all handicap, although his time was slower—08:39.8.

Disbrow, in his Ranier, won the 20 mile handicap, in the elapsed time of :17:36.15 or :53.39 slower than Aiken's pace in the stock car race for that distance.

Summaries: 120 mile, stock chassis 231 to 300 cubic inches: First prize Atlanta Automobile Association trophy and $600 in gold; second prize $300 in gold; third prize $150 in gold.

First, Marmon, Harroun, 1:49:26.4; second, Chalmers-Detroit, Matson, 1:57:22.92; third, Renault, Basle, 2:09:15.2; fourth, Buick, Chevrolet 2:09:30.13.

Between races a motor cycle race was run over ten miles, Harry Klebs winning in 8:53.58.

Twenty miles free for all handicap First prize $150; second prize $50. Won by Disbrow in his Rahier, with a handicap or 2:45. Harroun, in a Marmon, was second, and Stillman, in another car of the same make third. Stillman's time was the fastest 12:-23.41.

Ten mile stock chassis open to all amateur drivers only for Southern championship. First prize cup, second prize cup. The same three cars and the same drivers which ran a similar event yesterday entered today. Yesterday Oldknow, in a Buick defeated Rutherford in a Stearns by 1-100th of a second. Today Rutherford won by a comfortable margin. Travis duplicated his performance of yesterday, his Chalmers-Detroit finishing third. Rutherford's time was 8:42.62, 22 seconds ahead of Oldknow.

Twenty miles stock chassis 301 to 450 cubic inches: First prize, cup, second prize cup. First, National, Aiken, 16:42.76; second, Marmon, Stillman, 16:46.86; third, Chalmers-Detroit, Lorimer, 16:49.63.

Ten miles stock chassis, 600 cubic inches or under. First prize $100; second prize $50. First, Fiat, Robertson, 7:47.71; second, National, Aiken, 8:22.87; third, Apperson, Harding, 8:-23.17.

Four mile stock chassis, 161 to 230 cubic inches. First prize cup; second prize cup. First, Chalmers-Detroit, Matson, 4:05.5; second, Chalmers-Detroit, Knipper, 4.08.5; third, Buick, Nelson, 4:10.1.

### MRS. REED BROKE DOWN.

When Placed on Trial for Blackmail—Threatened Life of Another.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 11.—Seized with violent convulsions during her trial on the charge of attempting to secure $100,000 from Mrs. Genevieve Chandler Phipps on the threat of death by dynamite, Mrs. Allan F. Reed lies at the point of death at the home of her sister, Miss Jennie Campbell tonight. The trial will probably be suspended pending her recovery.

Mrs. Phipps, the complaining witness again took the stand today and was cross-examined by Mrs. Reed's attorneys.

### OUTLINES.

In a public place in Cairo, Ill., last night Will Jones, a negro, was shot to death by a mob, after he had partially confessed the brutal murder of Annie Pelley, a young white girl. Ten thousand people witnessed the lynching——A bandit entered a bank at New Albany, Ind., yesterday and after demanding money at the point of a pistol shot to death the cashier. He was captured and placed in the Louisville, Ky., jail——President Taft yesterday opened the Laymen's Missionary Movement convention in Washington with a speech. He gave his hearty endorsement of the movement——Secretary Wilson, of the Agricultural Department, in an interview yesterday made special reference to agricultural conditions in North Carolina and other States——At a meeting of the stockholders of the Seaboard Air Line yesterday the old board of directors were re-elected——The trial of Mme. Steinheil in Paris is nearing an end——Money on call strong 3 1-2 to 5 1-4 per cent., ruling rate 5, closing bid 3 1-4, offered at 3 1-2; flour dull but firm; wheat spot strong No. 2, red 1.27 asked; domestic elevator, No. 2 red 1.26 nominal, spot f. o. b. afloat; corn spot firm, No. 2, 72 elevator, domestic 72 1-2 delivered and 72 f. o. b. afloat; rosin steady, turpentine easy 58.

## PRESIDENT OPENS LAYMEN'S MEETING

### Gave Missionary Movement Hearty Endorsement in Speech.

### TAFT'S OWN OBSERVATIONS

Applauded by Large Assemblage That Greeted Him—Gifford Pinchot Presided at Convention. Other Speakers.

Washington, Nov. 11.—With President Taft as the principal speaker, the convention of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, organized and supported by the men of practically all the churches of Washington, opened here this morning. The movement is a National one.

Gifford Pinchot, chief of the Forest Service, chairman of the general committee of the movement, presided and introduced the President.

Round after round of applause with occasional cheers, characterized the reception of President Taft by the assemblage which greeted him as he came upon the stage. Mr. Taft gave the missionary movement his heartiest endorsement and for half an hour told the assemblage of his personal observations of missionary work.

"I like to think whether it is true or not," said Mr. Taft, "that we have in this generation, people whose views of the responsibilities of civilized nations differ from those which prevailed in the last generation, especially as applied to our own country."

"The time has passed," he said, "when people regarded themselves as having no respectability to other nations."

Speaking of the expense which had been incurred by the United States in the Philippines he expressed the opinion that the money had been well spent, although the occupation of the United States was of benefit chiefly to the people of the island.

Referring to the Boxer movement in China, he took issue with people who had asserted that the missionaries had caused the uprising and said that the cause was a suspicion among the Chinese people, whether it was true or not, that there was desire on the part of some of the civilized nations to divide up Chinese territory among themselves. The missionaries, he said, simply came in to bear the brunt of the trouble caused by this belief.

Gifford Pinchot, in his address preceding the arrival of the President, declared that the missionary movement as now being developed in this country was another form of the conservation of natural resources, in this case bearing upon the spiritual welfare of the people.

James Bryce, the British Ambassador, was present during a large portion of the meeting. He occupied a seat on the stage while the President addressed the assembly.

### MASONS ELECT OFFICERS.

Meeting of Royal Arch Masons Concluded—Entertained in Savannah.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 11.—Promotions were the order in the election of officers of the general grand chapter of Royal Arch Masons at the convocation of that body here today. Following are the new officers: General Grand High Priest, Nathan G. Kingsley, Austin, Minn.; Deputy General Grand High Priest, Bernard G. Witt, Henderson, Ky.; General Grand King, George E. Corson, Washington, D. C.; General Grand Scribe, Fred W. Craig, Des Moines, Ia.; General Grand Captain of the Host, William F. Kuhn, St. Louis, Mo.; General Grand Principal Sojourner, Bester G. Brown, Topeka, Kans.; General Grand Royal Arch Captain, Charles N. Rix, Hot Springs, Ark.; General Grand Master of the Third Veil, J. Albert Blake, Boston.

The general grand master of the second veil and the general grand master of the first veil will be elected tomorrow morning. These are the only two contested places in the entire list of officers. Major H. D. Hamilton, of New York; Mr. L. A. Goddard, of Illinois; Mr. Henry Banks, of LaGrange, and Col. Robert L. Golding, of Savannah, are being championed by friends for the vacancies.

This morning 200 Masons and their wives made the circuit of the grand prize automobile race track in fast cars and this afternoon following a river trip were guests at an old fashioned barbecue "under the oaks at Colraine."

### DEATH FROM PELLAGRA

Durham Young Lady of Good Parentage Succumbs to Disease.

Durham, N. C., Nov. 11.—Miss Maggie Hutchins, daughter of well-to-do parents, died here last night of pellagra making the tenth victim of the disease in this city. She was the second white patient the other also a woman to die from the strange malady.

As neither of them ate corn in any shape the attending physicians have been unable to attribute any cause for the disease.

## TROOPS INVADE COSTA RICA

Zelaya's Soldiers in Defense of Nicaragua Invade Another Country to Fight Rebels—Situation is Critical.

Panama, Nov. 11.—Passengers arriving here from Central American ports confirm the report that the forces of President Zelaya, of Nicaragua, have upon several occasions invaded Costa Rican territory in order to attack the Nicaraguan rebels, who are in control of the district bordering on the San Juan river. They also stated that the government of Costa Rica has protested against these invasions, hurried troops to the frontied and appealed to the United States to intervene.

It is said also that President Zelaya suspecting that Salvador is assisting the Nicaraguan rebels, has armed 2,000 disaffected Salvadorans who are under Gen. Prudenceo Alfaro.

The ultimate purpose of this move is to involve as much Central American internal and external conflicts as possible.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Strong diplomatic representations on the part of the State Department have resulted in the release by the government of Honduras of American gasoline launch Perlas which was seized and held at Puerto Cortez. The launch, which is the property of the Port Perlas Banana Plantation Company, of New York, was recently pressed into service by the revolutionists at Bluefields, Nicaragua. On the arrival of the launch at Puerto Cortez, with a single passenger, on her way to Puerto Barrios, the vessel ran out of fuel and was obliged to put in there. She was seized by the Honduran authorities on the grounds that she carried a sympathizer of the Nicaraguan revolution, and that her clearance papers were irregular.

The United States, however, insisted that the vessel should be returned to its owners, but only after repeated representations was the restoration accomplished.

Recent developments in Central America seem to indicate, officials believe, that Honduras is in full sympathy with the Zelaya government, and that she has gone so far as to render substantial aid in its operations against the revolutionists. This would be a violation of Article 2, of the Washington convention.

So far as the State Department is able to judge from dispatches it had received, the revolutionists are making substantial headway.

### SOUTHERN EXPRESS OFFICERS

Chosen at Annual Meeting Yesterday in Savannah, Ga.

Savannah, Ga. Nov. 11.—At the annual meeting of the Southern Express Company held here today the old officers of the company were re-elected. They are as follows: President, T. W. Leary; vice president, C. T. Loop, Chattanooga; secretary and treasurer, G. H. Tilley, Atlanta; directors, Morton F. Plant, New York; F. G. Sullivan, New York; E. W. Sheldon, New York; T. W. Leary, Atlanta; C. L. Loop, Chattanooga; O. M. Sadler, Charlotte, N. C.

Mr. Plant is chairman of the board.

### TERRITORIAL CONFERENCE

Young Woman's Christian Association In Richmond—Sessions.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 1..—The territorial conference of the Young Woman's Christian Association of North Carolina, South Carolina and Virginia, began here tonight with an opening address by the Rev. Jos. C. Kelly, D. D., of Washington. The sessions will continue through tomorrow, Saturday and Sunday.

## FARMERS TO NORTH CAROLINA

Secretary Wilson Predicts They Will Come From All Sections—Not Satisfied With the South Agriculturally—Reasons.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Secretary Wilson, of the Department of Agriculture, is not satisfied with the advancement of the South Agriculturally as compared with its gains in manufacture. He has just returned from the annual meeting of the National Farmers' Congress at Raleigh, N. C., and while in that State he made an investigation of its agricultural development. His inquiry has not satisfied him according to a statement made today.

While the manufactures of that section have wrested control of the cotton and other mills from outsiders, the farmers of North Carolina have not been keeping up to the same standard of enterprise. During his visit to North Carolina, the secretary visited Raleigh, Durham and Greensboro, making excursions from those points into the adjacent country.

Mr. Wilson declared that within the near future there is certain to be an influx of Northern and Western farmers to North Carolina and other Southern agricultural States, for the Northern and Western lands can be sold at a price per acre sufficient to buy two acres in the South.

## GIRL'S MURDERER LYNCHED BY MOB

### Negro Confesses Killing Miss Annie Pelley While Waiting His Doom.

### THOUSANDS SAW HIM SHOT

Strung Up to Public Arch in Street of Cairo, Ill.—Implicated Another Negro—Women Helped the Mob.

Cairo, Ill., Nov. 11.—Will James, the negro suspected of being the murderer of Miss Annie Pelley, was killed here tonight by a mob. James was strung up to the public arch, the rope broke, and at least 500 shots were poured into his body. He made a partial confession and implicated another negro, Arthur Alexander, whom the mob is now searching for.

James was lynched in the most prominent square of the city, and hanged to the arch at Eighth and Commercial streets.

Women present were the first to pull the rope. When it broke, the frenzy of the mob was uncontrollable and they fired volley after volley into James' body, shooting him to pieces. The mob then dragged the body over the streets for more than a mile to 26th and Elm streets in an alley and burned it where the murder was committed. At least 10,000 people witnessed the lynching.

James was found with Sheriff Davis between Karna, Ill., and Belknap, by the Cairo crowd who went up this afternoon. The crowd overpowered the officers and took the negro from them and after a conference it was decided to bring their prisoner back to this city and lynch him.

Sheriff Davis had been fleeing the mob for 24 hours with the prisoner. Driven from town to town by menacing crowds, the sheriff had taken to the woods with James, but the persistent search of the summary avengers, proved effective at last.

Fully a thousand persons went out to find the negro and when the pursuers arrived in Cairo with their quarry, they were met by a howling mob of 5,000 others bent on slaying the negro.

They marched the negro direct to the public arch, sweeping the street like a flock of sheep might tread a narrow lane. Many women were in the crowd, anxious to help do the work.

Sheriff Davis, having been foiled in his attempt to hide the negro, pleaded for the life of the prisoner, but without avail. When Cairo was reached Sheriff Davis was taken in charge by a part of the mob, while the rest rushed the negro rapidly to his funeral pyre.

The mob that chased the sheriff and the negro was so large that it scoured the entire country from Karnak to Vienna, Ill., a distance of about 16 miles.

When found by the mob, the negro was handcuffed between two officers and all three were lying on the bank of a creek. All three were so weak from hunger, exposure and the futile attempt to elude the mob that they were not able to make much resistance.

Sheriff Davis tonight said that he deplored the lynching. He had made every possible resistance in his power but the crowd was so large that he could do absolutely nothing.

He said after taking James from Cairo, he had to leave the train at Dongola last night to elude a mob waiting for him at a town ahead. He made an effort to get a rig at Dongola, but found it impossible, as the news had been spread over the country and every one knowing the crime that the negro had committed refused to give assistance in eluding the pursuers. They even refused food in many cases. At every point where he tried to board a train he was blocked by a menacing mob.

After a long, exhausting, foodless walk the sheriff and his deputy had lain down with the prisoner to rest. At dusk scouts of the searchers found the three and news was sent along the line to the scattered mob to board a Big Four train at Belknap. This order was obeyed and a numerous crowd was on the train when it reached here about 8 o'clock.

The negro was marched right through the principal streets to the most public place under the city arch at Eighth and Commercial streets.

While in custody of the mob coming here the negro would not talk about the crime, but when he stood under the arch he weakened and confessed that he slew Miss Pelley. He said that Arthur Alexander was implicated in the crime.

The attempt at hanging followed quickly, the growling of the mob, the grinding of the rope and the struggles of the negro were stopped a moment only by the snapping of the rope. The 10,000 persons who had looked on and danced in glee, shot forth armed men almost magically and they filled the negro with bullets.

Then, not satiated with vengeance, the mob dragged the body to the place where Miss Pelley's body, bound, gagged and bruised, had been found.

A roaring fire was built and the body was incinerated.

James, who came from the South, said Miss Pelley had been assaulted and murdered after a terrific fight.

Sheriff Davis tonight sent to Springfield for State troops.

**Troops Ordered Out.**

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 11.—Sheriff Frank E. Davis, of Alexander county, wired here to Governor Deneen for assistance in quelling disorder tonight after the rioting at Cairo and the lynching there of the negro James. Governor Deneen was in Chicago and could not be reached immediately but orders wer immediately transmitted by the Lieut. Governor to have Company K., fourth infantry, Illinois National Guard, stationed at Cairo, to respond to the orders of the sheriff. Colonel R. J. Shand, of the adjutant general's office, was sent on the first train to investigate conditions.

After Salzner was hanged and while the body was being riddled with bullets the rope broke and the body fell to the ground where it now lies, the mob going away and leaving it

Salzner was born and reared here. He had been married about two years last July when his wife was found at her home with her skull fractured. A bloody axe was found under the bed. Two babies were playing in the mother's blood. Salzner was found at the home of his mother, where he often slept at night. Before Mrs. Salzner died she recovered enough to accuse her husband of attacking her.

Feeling against him had been bitter and tonight after the lynching James when some one suggested Salzner the mob rushed for the county jail got Salzner and lynched him.

Search for the negro Alexander supposed accomplice of James in the Pelley murder continues.

**Mob Lynches White Man.**

Cairo, Ill., Nov. 11.—Henry Salzner, white, a photographer, who killed his wife last July with an axe, was taken from jail at 11:40 tonight by the mob and hanged to a telegraph pole and his body riddled with bullets. This lynching followed closely on the lynching of Will Jones, a negro, who earlier in the evening had been hanged for the murder of Miss Annue Pelley.

The governor, who is in Chicago, ordered 11 companies of the State guard to Cairo at once.

The mob Salzner a chance to confess after the rope was around his neck but he was so frightened that he could only mumble that his sister's had killed his wife.

This mob became furious at this and it was hard work to keep them off Salzner long enough to give him a chance to pray. The mob finally subsided and a short religious service was held, after which he was strung up, the rope being placed over a telegraph pole at Twenty-first and Washington streets.

The mob found some difficulty in breaking the cage as it was an entirely steel structure, but after a half hour of telling blows upon the door it gave way and Salzner was secured. The mob rushed him out of the back door of the jail which is in the basement of the court house around the building, through the yard and out into Washington avenue and up to 21st street which is a prominent corner and has a public square.

He cried and begged piteously for his life and was met by cries and blows from the mob.

When Salzner was asked for his last statement, a man, a stranger in the crowd, stepped forward and said he believed Salzner was innocent, whereupon the mob fell upon him, kicked him and finally knocked him down and it was only pleas of cooler persons that saved his life. He was compelled to beg mercy from the mob and announced in a loud voice that Salzner should be lynched, after which he was driven from the mob and all attention was given to Salzner.

## NATIONAL HORSE SHOW.

**British Cavalry Officers Won Third Victory in New York.**

New York, Nov. 11.—Before the biggest crowd the National Horse Show has drawn since the visit of Prince Henry of Prussia, the British Cavalry officers won their third victory tonight in the jumping competition open to all nations. Lieutenants York and Sebag-Montefiore, riding abreast in full uniform on government horses were first over the obstacles. Lieutenants Gordon Johnson and I. S. Martin, of Fort Riley, Kansas, were second.

Lieutenant Walwyn also won the Maclay cup this afternoon for Hunters that have ridden to hounds eight or more times this season.

In the less spectacular classes Judge W. H. Moore, continued today his long line of victories over Alfred G. Vanderbilt and others.

Commenting on the social side of the horse show tonight Mrs. Sophia Loebinger, the suffragette leader, criticised severely the ostentation of some of the box holders. "The horse show," she said, "is a decidedly unpleasant spectacle to me. American women are naturally modest and discreet, yet here are women who take no very subtle means to attrack, enjoy and bask in the admiration and attention of men indiscriminately."

"The horse is fashionable, and I have no quarrel with that but the child too, might well engage the attention of these women with their power and wealth."

## DIES FROM INJURIES.

**Guilford Farmer Who Was Brutally Assaulted—Two Arrests.**

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 11.—Simpson Cole, the farmer who was found near here yesterday morning with his head crushed, died this morning as a result of his injuries. His father, Dan Cable, and his brother-in-law, Hiram Elliott, are in jail charged with the crime. A third man, H. M. Holt, is suspected of complicity in the murder.

Holt came to Greensboro last night to notify the officers of the assault and was arrested this morning. There had been bad blood between the dead man and his father and brother-in-law for several years and when they met at Holt's distillery Tuesday afternoon the quarrel was renewed.

Yesterday neighbors found young Coble lying in a gulley near the roadside mortally wounded.

The "bargain hunter" is no longer the woman who merely haunts the stores. She is the woman who watches the ads and goes to the stores strictly on business.

## PARIS TRIAL NEARING END.

**Argument in Steinheil Trial Begins —Case to Jury Saturday.**

Paris, Nov. 11.—That Mme. Steinheil, aided by some unknown accomplice, murdered her husband, so as to obtain her freedom to wed the wealthy and infatuated Maurice Borderel but that the killing of her stepmother was unpremeditated, and merely an incident to the tragedy, is the theory of the state, as outlined by Trouard Riollo, the judge advocate, in opening the argument of the prosecution this afternoon.

Driven to desperation by her financial and domestic situation the judge advocate contended, Mme. Steinheil saw in Borderel a savior with whom, once rid of her husband, she could live in luxury as wife, if possible, or mistress. Seeking to stimulate in a graphic manner that husband had been assassinated by burglars, who had bound and gagged herself and her step-mother, he argued, the defendant had brought Mme. Japy to her home, but in the feverish haste the murder had been overdone and the murderers found her dead when the slaying of Steinheil had been accomplished.

The judge advocate admitted that the crime of particide did not appear to be sufficiently established, but he was convinced that the prisoner had called her husband and had assisted in his murder.

The prosecutor joined in the earlier declaration of M. DeValles, the presiding judge, that he would raise before the jury the general question of the complicity of the accused. This was interpreted as an acknowledgement that the evidence was not sufficient to maintain the charge that Mme. Steinheil was the principal and that therefore he would ask for her conviction as an accomplice.

Throughout the crushing arraignment today, the woman sat with bowed head dejectedly buried in her arms on the rail. The testimony was restricted to statements by a few friends of the defendant, who considered her incapable of the crime.

A lawyer, M. Paisant by name, who was an old friend of Mme. Steinheil, described her as a veritable angel of love toward her husband, and declared that her entire life had been a heroic struggle against adverse circumstances.

The judge advocate will conclude his argument tomorrow afternoon. M. Aubin, counsel for the defendant, will follow, and a verdict probably will be rendered Saturday.

## ALDRICH ON BANKING LAWS.

**Speaks on Necessity of Reformation to Provide Against Panics.**

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 11.—Senator Aldrich talked here tonight to the local bankers' club. He again discussed the necessity for the reformation of the banking and currency laws in order to provide against panics. He went into details concerning the operations of central banks in Europe.

This is the home of Senator Cummins, who has shown an inclination to antagonize the Aldrich policies. Mr. Aldrich's only allusion to Mr. Cummins in his speech here was made in connection with mention of the name of the late Senator Allison and was made in a way that could not have aroused any but the kindest feeling.

Mr. Aldrich was the guest of honor at a banker's dinner given at the Avery Hotel.

In his address Mr. Aldrich spoke especially of the growing importance of the West as affording the best reason why the people of Colorado should desire a stable banking system and he appealed to them to join with him in devising a plan that would place the United States in advance of all other nations as a financial center.

Here he gave somewhat more attention that elsewhere to the important part that commercial paper plays in the banking systems of the old world. This he explained was not done for the purpose of urging the adoption of the European plan in the United States, but to indicate a possible means of increasing credit in case it should be found desirable to go abroad for suggestions looking to an improvement over our monetary system.

## CHINAMEN ARE ARRESTED.

**Charged With Murder in Connection With Feud in San Francisco.**

San Francisco, Nov. 11.—The latest development in the war between the Yee and On Yick Tongs which has resulted in the death of five chinese since November 2nd, was the issuance today of warrants for the arrest of Tong King Chong, secretary of the Chinese Free Masons and editor of the Chinese Daily Free Press, and Gee Hong On, president of the On Yick Tong.

The warrants were issued on complaint of Yee Fun, accusing the men of responsibility for the murder of Yee Fong Hong, on the night of November 2. Gee Hong and Ting Chong are among the most influential chinese on this coast.

The lives of three On Yicks have been taken in revenge for the slaying of two Yees in the feud over the ownership of the pretty slave girl oN Gue.

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## SOUTH'S ROSIN INTEREST

**Treasury Department Give Advice as to Duty on Such Importations.**

Washington, Nov. 11.—After a deluge of representations from the naval stores people in the South, the soap manufacturers and other interests in various parts of the country, the question of classification of gum rosin is being a "try out" at Philadelphia, where the collector has been notified by the Treasury Department that he can go ahead assessing a duty of 20 per cent. on such importations as an article of manufacture not enumerated in the tariff law.

Southern rosin interests claimed that wrong classification in the law has admitted gum rosin, or rosin, from abroad free of duty to the serious loss of the Southern trade. The collector at Philadelphia assessed gums and gum rosin, natural and uncompounded, but advanced in value or condition, by any process or treatment beyond that necessary to the proper packing of the duty drugs and the prevention of decay or deterioration pending manufacture, one fourth of one cent per pound and in addition ten per cent. advalorem.

The manufacturing interests using rosin sought free admission under section 559 of the free list which included gum rosin when natural and uncompounded, and in the crude state and not advanced in value by any treatment beyond that necessary for preservation pending manufacture

The Department would not direct a re-classification, but advised the collector that his assessment of ad valorem duty would stand for the present at least

## WARRINER SHORTAGE MYSTERY.

**Another Woman Brought Into the Case—Accused's Health Bad.**

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 11.—The mystery which envelopes the relations of Charles L. Warriner, the defaulting local treasurer of the Big Four Railroad, with the two women and a man whom he asserts have systematically blackmailed him for several years, was deepened late today when it was learned from one of the railway officials that another woman, whose name has not been previously mentioned, was involved. This official who has been specially detailed to investigate the $643,000 shortage, confessed to by Warriner, stated that the woman who enters as a new factor into the case had, as far as he knew, no criminal connection with the embezzler, but could give important information in regard to the disposal of the stolen money. Her name has been given to Prosecutor Hunt and she will probably be subpoenaed to appear before the grand jury.

There were no other developments in the case. The reports of Mr. Warriner's breakdown in health were reiterated and it was generally conceded the accused man is in a very feeble if not precarious condition.

## GOVERNMENT WILL SAVE.

**By Rigid Examination of Tobacco Imports Under New Tariff.**

Washington, Nov. 11.—How many thousands of dollars will be saved to the government by a more rigid examination of tobacco imports to prevent the wrapper product coming in under the lower duty for filler tobacco, is still problematical but the matter is engaging the attention of customs experts in New York. The Treasury Department last month took steps looking to more rigid scrutiny and announced that seizures might be made. Wrapper and filler tobacco when mixed or packed with over 15 per cent. of wrapper, if unstemmed is taxed $1.85 a pound and $2.55 a pound if stemmed, while filler otherwise is taxed only 35 cents if unstemmed and 50 cents if stemmed.

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# THE STATE IN EPITOME

## ¶News, Comment and Incidents as Reflected in the North Carolina Press. : : : : : : :

### That Rabbit Hunt.

High Point Enterprise: Messrs. F. H. Ford, J. B. Rector, B. E. Moore went rabbit hunting a few morning ago on the Seward farm some five miles north of High Point, and the sport is reported by them as being extra fine. Mr. Rector was the only one in the party who had had no previous experience in rabbit hunting, and he did not at first show up in the sport as favorably as the remainder of the party, who were old hands at the buisness, but it did not take him long to catch on. He soon jumped into the business to make a reputation for himself. He was just creeping up on a rabit that he had spied around the edge of an old stump and came to where he was within six feet of the bunny, which by the way was a young one, when Mr. Ford shouted out, "Rector, don't shoot a young rabbit like that, while just hopping along". But Mr. Rector, still keeping his trusty weapon aiming at the rabbit, shouted back: "No, I'm not going to shoot him running. I am waiting for him to stop."

## REV. DR. J. M. ROSE'S CONDITION

### Popular Minister Has No Cancerous Trouble.

(Charlotte Observer.)

The many friends of Rev. Dr. John M. Rose, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Laurinburg, will be interested to know that the report that he was suffering with an internal cancer is happily without foundation and erroneous. Dr. Rose came to Charlotte Tuesday at the solicitation of his son, Mr. H. McA. Rose, of this city, for the purpose of having a most thorough examination made by several of Charlotte's skilled physicians, and as a result he was yesterday pronounced a well man. After the investigation both the Laurinburg and the Charlotte doctors concurred in the statement that he has no cancer and has never suffered with any trouble of a malignant origin. The physicians who made the examination assured him that he would be able to resume his duties at a very early date and that so far as they could ascertain, he would never have a return of the trouble which was the occasion of his recent illness.

## A QUAIL CONFISCATED.

### Biddle Professor Gets Into Trouble in Mecklenburg.

(Charlotte Observer.)

With a shotgun, a dog and a single quail which had fallen before his weapon, Prof. G. E. Davis, colored, of the faculty of Biddle University, was traversing the section three miles northwest of the city late yesterday afternoon when he chanced upon, or rather was chanced upon by Constable J. E. Garrison. The latter had gone to that vicinity to serve a warrant and was waiting on his man to return when he improved the interval by this arrest. Professor Davis admitted that he had been caught napping. Any hunting of quail in this county is illegal and he was required to give $50 bond for his appearance before 'Squire W. D. Alexander. The offense is punishable by a fine of $50, or of course, imprisonment for 30 days. Mr. Garrison took charge of the deceased gallinacean fowl and says he will sell it at auction.

## THIS MAN WAS THERE.

### New York Times' Account of President's Trip to Wilmington.

(New York Times.)

The President's day in Wilmington called out a great display of enthusiasm on the part of the residents of the State, who came from all sections to participate in his welcome. In many ways the celebration of the President was one of the most significant of his trip. Governor Kitchin extended the formal welcome of the State in an address which bristled with the patriotism of the South and which embodied one of the most glowing tributes the President has received.

Arriving here before daylight this morning, the President slept until nearly 8 o'clock, when he was escorted to the colonial home of James Sprunt, one of the greatest exporters of cotton in the South, where a Southern home breakfast was served. George Washington and Daniel Webster had known the hospitality of the same mansion. The breakfast was served in the conservatory, which had been made into a grape arbor. At the end of the meal Mayor MacRae of Wilmington, voiced the welcome to the city, and created Mr. Taft an "honorary Tar Heel" for life.

From the Sprunt home the President motored in review of 1,500 school children of the city arranged in a living flag. He stopped several minutes to listen to their cheers and songs, and then proceeded to another section of the city, where he reviewed the negro children and talked to them.

Boarding the revenue cutter Semtnole at 10:30 o'clock, with a committee of fifty or more citizens as an escort, the President was taken for a sail of twenty-five miles down the waterway and return. Wilmington is desirous of deepening her channel to the sea from 24 to 30 feet, and the ride was to give the President an object lesson as to the need of the improvement. Luncheon was served on board. During the trip the President was saluted by all the craft in the river.

When the river trip had ended President Taft was taken for a carriage ride through several miles of Wilmington streets. The parade ended at the City Hall, where the President spoke. Tonight he attended a supper at the Masonic Temple before leaving for Richmond at 8 P. M.

Gov. Kitchin, in introducing the President this afternoon, declared that he wanted Mr. Taft to know that the South was "his country, as the North is our country."

Gov. Kitchin said that while the South was asking no favors, but only justice and a fair chance, there was no one in the entire country more determined that this fair chance should be given than President Taft.

"I have visited North Carolina before," the President said in reply, "and in doing so I have found that you were a little earlier in doing everything that had to be done in the crises of the Nation than anybody else. I have found that you made a declaration of independence at Mecklenburg about a year before we thought of it in other parts of the country. And I understand that you suppressed the stamp tax and emptied out the tea a very considerable time before they had that tea party in Boston Harbor. It is, therefore, a matter of extreme self-congratulation on my part to have from your distinguished men, and from the people of a State like this, such a cordial welcome.

"I congratulate the people of North Carolina that, next to the State of Mississippi, it has a population more devoted to the soil and its cultivation than any other State in the United States. You do not have large cities, and I do not think that a defect at all in your civilization. The fact is, that the tendency toward concentration of population in the cities is a tendency that ought to be restrained. Country life ought to be made more comfortable and attractive. The pursuit of agriculture, the profession of farming today, may well attract the mental and manual activity of men of the highest education, of the highest culture, and of the highest ambition."

### Animals and Instinct.

It is a mistake to imagine that animals are prevented by instinct from eating injurious food. A chicken will drink paint; a cow partakes of water in which noxious chemicals have been washed; ducks cheerfully swallow snails and choke themselves in the process. No; animals, like children, need watching.

Recently numerous cases of poisoning in ducks, which followed the consumption of cabbage leaves, have attracted much attention. A few hours after feeding poisoning has manifested itself by loss of appetite, great weakness, tottering steps and sometimes death. From time immemorial ducks have thrived on cabbage leaves. The poultry farmers were greatly puzzled.

Then it was discovered that various caterpillars were concealed in the cabbage leaves; hence these tears. But the point is that, far from instinctively detecting any danger and behaving accordingly, the ducks consumed great quantities of the leaves with much apparent relish.—London Answers.

### Pleasure and Sacrifice.

An alert little five-year-old was visiting a city park with her mother for the first time. She had noticed the beautiful red and white swan boats as they passed through in the morning, and her mother had promised they should come back after the shopping was done and have a ride.

Shortly after dinner they stood on the bridge over the lagoon watching the boats below and listening to the cry of the barker as he tried to induce the passing crowds to patronize his swan boats.

But when her mother started toward the boat landing little Elsie declared very vigorously that she did not want to go at all and, as her mother urged her, broke forth in tears.

This sudden fear was so different from her former eagerness that her mother could not understand it until she noticed the boatman's call.

He was crying: "Come along! Come along! Ride clear round the pond. Only 5 cents for ladies and gents! Children thrown in!"

### Apples as Omens.

In parts of England many quaint superstitions still center round the apple. Apples hung on strings and twirled before the fire are said to fall off in the order that the marriages of the various owners will proceed. An apple eaten before a looking glass is supposed to give a view of the inquirer's future husband, who will be seen peeping over milady's shoulder. Peel safely taken from an apple, tossed three times round the head and thrown to the ground unbroken forms the first letter of a future lover's name. A more recent, though hardly more serious, custom necessitates a bowl of water in which are floating a number of apples. Mothers must drop forks into the bowl from a distance of about four feet. If the fork pierces an apple the feat is believed to protect the performer's children from catching cold.—London Scraps.

### Early English Scare.

In 1370 a report was circulated that "certain galleys, with a multitude of armed men therein, were lying off the foreland of Thanet," and an order was at once issued that "every night watch shall be kept between the Tower of London and Billingsgate, with forty men at arms and sixty archers." The watch was kept in the following order: "Tuesday, the drapers and the tailors; Wednesday, the mercers and the apothecaries; Thursday, the fishmongers and the butchers; Friday, the pewterers and the vintners; Saturday, the goldsmiths and the saddlers; Sunday, the ironmongers, the armorers and the cutlers; Monday, the fawers, the spurriers, the bowyers and the girdlers." Even in 1616 pirate vessels were captured off the Kentish coast, between Broadstairs and Margate.—London Chronicle.


### A Religious Author's Statement

Rev. Joseph H. Fesperman, Salisbury, N. C., who is the author of several books, writes: For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy." Robert R. Bellamy.

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Of Wilmington, Oct. 30th 1909.

RESOURCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Time loans and discounts | $2,995,5[illegible] 47 |
| Demand loans | 1,250,000 00 |
| U. S. Bonds | 551,000 00 |
| Bank-building | 25,000 00 |
| Stocks and bonds | 17[illegible],145 50 |
| Cash | 1,589,642 56 |
| | $6,581,333 53 |

LIABILITIES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital stock | $ 550,000 00 |
| Surplus | 344,247 35 |
| U. S. bond account | 100,000 00 |
| Circulation | 550,000 00 |
| Deposits | 5,037,086 18 |
| | $6,581,333 53 |

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SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 8:30, 10:06, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10 and 8:30 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Lumina at 7:45, 9:15, and 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:45, 5:15, 7:50 and 9:15 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Lumina at 9:45, 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:25, 6:50, 7:50, and 9:15 P. M.

TO WRIGHTSVILLE.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Wrightsville at 6:20, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:55, 5:25, 6:35, 8:00, 9:25, 10:25 and 11:25 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Wrightsville at 9:55, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:25 and 11:25 P. M.

CAROLINA PLACE.
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TO CAROLINA PLACE.

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|---|---|---|
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| Lv. Petersburg | 10:25 a.m. | 10:20 p.m. |
| Lv. Durham | 1:00 a.m. | 5:30 p.m. |
| Lv. Lynchburg | 2:30 p.m. | 2:15 a.m. |
| Ar. Cincinnati | 7:30 a.m. | 7:20 p.m. |
| Ar. Columbus | 6:45 a.m. | 7:35 p.m. |
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### WILMINGTON AND THE NORTH.

NORTHBOUND.

| | No. 48. Daily. | No. 42. Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv. Wilmington | 9:00 am | 7:00 pm |
| Ar. Goldsboro | 12:05 pm | 9:55 pm |
| Ar. Wilson | 1:00 pm | 10:52 pm |
| Ar. Rocky Mount | 1:35 pm | 11:30 pm |
| Ar. Weldon | 4:55 pm | 2:41 am |
| Ar. Norfolk | 5:55 pm | *8:35 am |
| Ar. Petersburg | 7:05 pm | 4:25 am |
| Ar. Richmond | 8:00 pm | 5:10 am |
| Ar. Washington | 11:50 pm | 8:40 am |
| Ar. Baltimore | 1:15 am | 10:02 am |
| Ar. W. Phila. | 3:45 am | 12:23 pm |
| Ar. New York | 6:30 am | 2:45 pm |

SOUTHBOUND.

| | No. 41. Daily. | No. 49. Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv. New York | 9:25 am | 9:25 pm |
| Ar. W. Phila | 11:49 am | 12:19 am |
| Lv. Baltimore | 2:10 am | 2:46 am |
| Lv. Washington | 3:35 pm | 4:20 am |
| Lv. Norfolk | 3:20 pm | 8:25 am |
| Lv. Richmond | 7:10 pm | 8:15 am |
| Lv. Petersburg | 7:47 pm | 9:13 am |
| Lv. Weldon | 9:35 pm | 11:35 am |
| Lv. Rocky Mount | 5:00 am | 12:50 pm |
| Lv. Wilson | 5:36 am | 2:09 pm |
| Lv. Goldsboro | 6:35 am | 3:05 pm |
| Ar. Wilmington | 9:25 am | 6:00 pm |

### WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND. Via Wilson

| | 51 Daily. | 55 Daily. | 42 Daily. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lv Wil'ton. | 5:10 am | 3:30 pm | 7:00 pm |
| Ar. Flor. | 9:05 am | 7:25 pm | 3:55 am |
| Ar. Col'bia. | 12:25 pm | 10:45 pm | |
| Ar. Chars. | 1:20 pm | 11:25 pm | 7:00 am |
| Ar. Savh. | 6:30 pm | 2:20 am | 9:20 am |
| Ar. Jk'ville | | 7:15 am | 1:50 pm |
| Ar. Tampa | | 7:00 pm | 10:30 pm |

NORTHBOUND.

| | 50 Daily. | 54 Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv. Tampa | 9:00 pm | 10:10 am |
| Lv. Jacksonville | 8:50 am | 7:46 pm |
| Lv. Savannah | 1:05 pm | 12:15 am |
| Lv. Charleston | 5:25 pm | 5:10 am |
| Lv. Columbia | 4:30 pm | 6:00 am |
| Lv. Florence | 8:40 pm | 9:25 am |
| Ar Wilmington | 12:30 am | 1:25 pm |

### WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

| Westbound. 53 Daily. | | Eastbound. 52 Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| 8:40 AM | Lv Wilmington Ar | 8:05 PM |
| 11:45 AM | Ar Fayetteville Lv | 4:50 PM |
| 12:10 PM | Lv Fayetteville Ar | 4:45 PM |
| 1:40 PM | Ar. Sanford Lv | 3:30 PM |

### WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

| Northbound. 62 | Daily except Sunday. | Southbound. 63 |
|---|---|---|
| 3:25 PM | Lv Wilmington Ar | 12:50 PM |
| 5:17 PM | Ar Jacksonville Lv | 10:55 AM |
| 6:44 PM | Ar N & S. Jct Lv | 9:35 AM |
| 6:50 PM | Ar Newbern Lv | 9:30 AM |

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## MR. SHEMWELL MEETS HIS MATCH.

It is a hard thing to wish any man in jail, but the decision of the Supreme Court which will nave the result of sending Mr. Baxter Shemwell, of Lexington, to such a destination will, we believe, be hailed with general satisfaction by the State at large. This is the gentleman—wealthy, influential, educated— who by a series of assaults has kept a whole community in a sort of terror for more than a dozen years. It does not speak so well for the courage of Lexington that this has been true, but it is the fact. Mr. Shemwell has "killed his man"—a mighty good one, too— in his time. He has been talking of killing ever since, the talk, on at least one occasion before the last spectacular crime of which he has been convicted, going to the length of drawing a "gun" upon an unarmed man walking the public streets. His last achievement was the holding up with drawn pistol of a Southern Railway conductor, in order that he might in the exercise of an imperious will stop the train at a station where the conductor was not permitted to stop it. The train stopped, and Mr Shemwell, instead of being at once arrested, got into a carriage which a quaking policeman ordered for him and rode to his hotel in triumph. But in spite of the wholesome fear with which he had inspired Lexington, the railroad secured his indictment, a jury convicted him and a Judge to whom it had not occurred to be afraid sentenced him to jail. Now that the Supreme Court has dared to affirm the verdict and sentence, we suspect that Mr. Shemwell will not h reafter be the terror in his community that he once was.

The career of this man has been a humiliation to a law-abiding people. We count it a distinct gain that, long race that he has run, he has met the law at last and, we hope, realised his own want of final omnipotence.

## ONE GUEST FORTUNATELY AVOIDED.

The Associated Press, the North Carolina papers, the New York Herald, the New York Times and other papers of national prominence and importance have been unanimous in praise of the good taste and warm welcome experienced by President Taft on his recent trip to Wilmington. The one note of dissent comes from the New York World. It is spoken because the man charged with the writing of the story was not on the spot. He was not at the breakfast at the home of Mr. Sprunt, where his card upon the table did not find him. He was not present on the Seminole, on the trip down the river, of which he writes so caustically. So far as is known this particular newspaper representative was not "on his job." He was out of it. His associates explained that he was on the car of the President "suffering with his stomach." It will be noted that he claims that the President was in the same case. The President, however, was visible and happy. Mr. Dunlop, "Staff Correspondent of the World, accompanying President Taft," was, perhaps fortunately, invisible. His article indicated that he was not happy. However, read what he says:

"'Fourteen feet through the valley," the Missippi cry, was outdone today when the most numerous and exuberant local committee yet took President Taft down the Cape Fear River and demanded that its twenty-three feet be made thirty at once.

"The President took one look at the river and two at the committee and retired to the captain's cabin. From 10 o'clock until 3 the crowd aboard the revenue cutter Seminole did not see the President. The local committee consoled itself with liquid refreshments. The only water aboard was six inches on the cabin floor that sloshed in through an open porthole

"The President made a speech later, but he didn't comment on the thirty foot channel, which fact brought out excited comment from the local committee. Then the President went to the Cape Fear Club and retired. He has boasted a lot to his party lately about how well he is finishing the trip, as compared with the others, but he went to bed. Afterward the President took dinner with Wilmington at the Masonic Temple and made another short speech, having had a nap.

"The President's train arrived in Wilmington this morning, and Mr. Taft went to the home of James Sprunt for breakfast. The Sprunt home is on the bank of the river, and the conservatory was converted into an arbor, with real vines and grapes overhanging the tables. The decorations were elaborate, but the menu simple, in sharp contrast with many that have gone before.

"Mr. Taft then was taken on a parade, which included a school of white children and a school of colored children. The white children tried to sing, but they did not keep good time. The colored children sang with a fervor and melody that pleased Mr. Taft immensely, and he made a speech to them."

Mr. Dunlop makes other disparaging references which we will not quote. He writes as though he were "in at the death," from the time the President struck the city until he got out of it at night. Had he merely undertaken to "make good" with his paper at second hand, we would have nothing to say. When, in trying to put such a bluff across the table, he adds the venom of his own imagination to what others said to him, but which they did not write, we feel in duty bound to be personal to the extent of stating the circumstances. Mr. Dunlop should not have written at all, could he not write fairly and with authority. Everyone who took the trip on the Seminole knows that, so far from "going to sleep," the President sat on the upper deck and talked with Senator Overman, Governor Kitchin and others. The public reception to the guests on board was not held at once, because Captain Archibald Clavering Willingham De Graffenreid Butt, the President's chief military aid, had a headache of perhaps simpler origin than his name would lead one to suppose. Mr. Butt's duty is largely to say, "Mr. President —Mr. Smith." Out of consideration for Mr. Butt's feelings in the performance of this important duty, the President deferred shaking hands with the majority of those on board until Mr. Butt should have awakened. Mr. Dunlop's ignorance of the circumstances keeping the President away from his hosts is manifest in this one instance.

A man's stomach is a vital problem to the man who owns it. But there is no surer method of getting mental indigestion than to translate one's own inner emotions into terms of the emotions of others.

Another thing: Mr. Taft was not harried about the thirty foot channel. We wished him to see conditions. The smiling expanse of the Cape Fear, the imposing parade of vessels down the river, afforded an object lesson which we contemplate with confidence. However, all who know Wilmington people know that they sink personal consideration in the welfare and comfort of their guests. Mr. Taft was treated everywhere with that courtesy and delicate attention that the guest who is a gentleman will always receive at the hands of the people of this community. We were ready to treat Mr. Dunlop in the same way. That he laid aboard a berth, instead of experiencing the hospitality that was waiting for him, is not our fault—and, since the exhibition that he has made of himself, it is not our regret.

A port hole was, indeed, opened by mistake aboard the Seminole. The officers of the ship remedied the trouble promptly and with that realization of the fact that accidents are inevitable, which distinguishes men who know how to act the host. All that Mr. Dunlop knew about the water aboard was that with which he was perhaps trying to drown the conflagration raging in his own midst, as he lay supine away from the scene of his duty, torn with vain regrets. Wilmington did not light that fire. He brought it with him. We protest that the trouble was not with us.

## THE REASON OF THE DISCOUNT RATE'S ADVANCE.

There is no one thing so easy to talk about, and so hard to understand, as the shifting discount rates of England and the great Continental banks. These institutions, governmental, or quasi-governmental, keep a constant finger on the pulse of international finance. They diagnose instantly the slightest fever showing itself through the financial and commercial symptoms of their respective countries. They guage the circulation of the world, which is based on gold. When gold drifts from their own countries, at the first sign of monied aenemia, the discount rates are put up, as a physician might give a heart stimulant to a patient. What these banks do has a greater significance than mere business; their action is a concrete index of governmental caution.

Wherefore, the Charlotte Chronicle indulges in this bit of speculation that we suspect is consciously, or unconsciously, founded upon the plight in which Charlotte and near-by South Carolina cotton mills find themselves with respect to the price of their raw material. Says the Chronicle:

"Less than one month ago England raised her discount rate on exchange to 5 per cent. Later, Germany did the same. Now the talk is that both countries will raise it to 6 per cent. At the time the 5 per cent rate was put into effect, it was said in New York that England was resisting the flow of gold to New York to back up steel stocks and other speculative American securities. Now the story goes that that diagnosis was entirely wrong. The cotton spinners of England and the Continent are said to have complained that the gold of Germany and of England both should be sent to this country to loan to speculators in cotton, and by this means and in consequence of the high prices brought about, the English and German spinners were footing the bill. This may be all talk, but there seems to be more reason back of it than was back of the story about stocks."

If cotton is behind this cautionary action of the foreign banks, it is not speculation in cotton, but the position in world commerce of the Southern staple, that is responsible. Speculation is never consistently successful, either in raising or lowering the price of a commodity of general consumption, save and unless the supply of the commodity itself is limited. If it is limited, speculation may serve the purpose of advertising the fact of the disparity between supply and demand. It may cause a more rapid rise or a swifter decline. But it does not, and cannot, ultimately affect the price. That is as certain a quantity as that water will seek its level.

Therefore, it is blowing in the face of the wind to seek to lay the price of cotton at the door of foreign exchange, or to hold speculation responsible for that or any other fundamental condition. The mills seem to have been "caught." Regrettable as that is, the disadvantage of necessary curtailment is more than equalled by the wide diffusion of money that follows in the train of high prices for raw materials. It will not help the mills to get their cotton at a lower price to clamor that the high price is the result of manipulation. It is the result of a short crop—nothing more, nothing less. That this peculiar section of the South should have come into this year holding the double advantage of fair production and high price is a circumstance that ought to give general satisfactiaon, instead of producing a feeling of uneasiness because, as incident to a great sectional good, one branch of industry has suffered. The cotton mills have capital and experience. They will "come clean." The farmers have had more experience than capital. With a full appreciation of the service that the milling industry has performed, with high hopes of future benefit to the South, which is to come out of such commercial activity, we are persuaded that, deplorable as is a halt in the prosperity of the cotton mill, the significance of its success is not to be weighed in the balance with the significance of the success and happiness of the thousands upon thousands of humble Southern planters, who, after so long a time, seem at length to be coming into their own. The mills will find eventual adjustment to a new regime; the farmers have heretofore had to make the hard adjustment of living where there was little if anything to live on. With them out of debt and with their money in the banks, the general expression and encouragement of prosperity will have a scope and a value beside which, if it were necessary, every cotton mill might be closed permanently, instead of for temporary balance in an unparalleled situation.

If the flow of English gold was such as to necessitate the advance of the discount rate, rest assured that it was sent across the sea to purchase for spot cash the cotton which is today leaving Wilmington and every other Southern port by the thousands of bales daily. The drain, if drain there be, is being diverted into the pockets of the common people. Through them it is finding lodgment in the banks, and through them, again, in every manner of industry and business which, in the mass and on the whole, goes to make a periodical rise in prices the foundations of an enduring advance in civilization.

## PUBLICITY FOR DIVORCE.

Beyond a concensus of opinion that divorce is an "evil", there seems to be as little unanimity of opinion as ever upon the question of how that evil is to be checked and eradicated. People get better on the whole, perhaps, but the progress is of that snail-like sort that seems to distinguish a moving column at a great distance. The progress is there, but the indications of it are slight unless we watch the landmarks. Divorce is a problem recognized by the Mosaic law. It is apt to continue a problem, ameliorated, if at all, by the force of public opinion, rather than the mandate of statutes.

There can be no question, however, that the law of divorce, as it is executed in New York, opens the way to collusion between the principals and scandal to the public. Under the referee system divorces come out of the courts almost with the speed that corn comes from a hopper. Mrs. John Jacob Astor has just received one, after two days, in the absence of her husband and with the continued anonymity of his co-respondent. Other prominent men have been divorced in the same easy way from women who did not trouble to appear to defend themselves, and who yet married again and took up under a new name a social position never relinquished. If it be remembered that the sole cause of divorce in New York State is that recognized by the Bible, the moral muck in which the better people of the metropolis are seen to be wading may be guessed, if not appreciated.

Speaking to the Astor divorce, ex-Justice Roger A. Pryor is thus quoted in the New York Times:

Ex-Justice Roger A. Pryor was one of those who said that society was being injured a thousand times more by the spectacle of the rich and influential obtaining divorces in secret, with the law seemingly aiding them, than by the publication of the testimony in divorce cases. He declared that hundreds and even thousands of the cases now before referees, with the cloak of secrecy thrown about them and the law furnishing the lubrication with which they slip noiselessly along, would never have been brought at all if the parties to them thought the details would be made public.

"I am not opposed to divorce on the one ground on which it is obtainable in this State," said ex-Justice Pryor last night, "but I am opposed to the granting of divorces in the numerous cases where the parties to the suit are getting it solely to be able to marry again as soon as free, and where the opposing lawyers are in collusion to get the decree, the defense being nothing more than a farce, so that the testimony may be heard in secret instead of in open court."

Occasionally a divorce trial, heard in a State other than New York, is played up by the yellow newspapers with disgusting detail. Such offense to taste is a matter for the paper committing it and its readers. It is doubtful, however, whether every such an exhibition is not a deterrent to other such litigation. Mrs. Grundy is terribly afraid of the word spoken in the open, where she smacks and smiles over the scandal whispered in a closet. Mrs. Grundy, too, maligned as she is, has her service to perform. If she can prevent two entirely unmoral people from separating from the bonds of matrimony to engage in bonds with other people, she has done a service and given, at least, the chance of happiness to those saved from such alliances. But when the only cause of divorce is recalled, the spectacle of these New York men and women of prominence coming forth from the referee's room smiling and shameless in spite of the certain but undetailed stigma upon them is one to make better and more aspiring America feel the corrupting influence in its whole body that emanates from its sorest spot.

If New York will bring these precious litigants into the open, the results may be occasional necessity for the holding of the nose, but the country will be the gainer in the measurable stopping of what is now an open and flagrant disgrace.

## SACREDNESS OF JURIES.

Judge Biggs has set a good lesson for the study of lawyers, jurors and laymen alike by his action in ordering a new trial in the Helms-Holton litigation in Guilford county. It was shown by affidavits that the defendant in the case had been seen in converse with one of the jurors, and, despite the fact that nothing improper was shown to have been communicated—despite the fact that it was shown that there had been no improper conduct—Judge Biggs, we take it properly, ordered a new trial. In doing so, it is true that he put the litigants to further expense; that he left the burden of a long litigation upon the county, and that his action left unsettled a wrong that needed to be righted as far as it was possible to right it through a court of law. Nevertheless, his view that trials should be above suspicion of unfair play was the sound and the correct one. So long, and no longer, is the jury that bulwark of liberty for which it was designed.

In commenting on this case, the correspondent of the News and Observer says:

"To a great many who were present last night and heard the affidavits read by lawyers on both sides of the controversy, the decision of Judge Biggs was a great surprise, for it had not appeared to the disinterested laymen present that any case at all had been made out of improper conduct on the part of any juror, and the charge that the defendant had used any improper conduct was so overwhelmingly disproven that the judge himself refuted this in his decision ordering a new trial."

We must take the opinion of this correspondent as to the lay opinion on the point at its face value. That being true, it was a hasty and unthoughtful opinion. Juries are drawn for the purpose of seeing that litigants get justice. The law sets them apart as the judges of the facts, and prescribes how the facts in each case shall be presented. Caesar's wife was never in such dire need of reputation for uprightness as the twelve ordinary men, taken from their daily tasks to pass finally upon either the property or the liberty of their neighbors. The mere suggestion, not that anything improper has been done or said toward the influencing of the jury, but that there has been opportunity to impart improper opinion into the box, ought to be sufficient to throw the jury out as useless. Unless it is so set apart, unless it is so divorced from other influence than that coming from the testimony of witnesses, the argument of counsel and the instructions of the judge, it becomes a farce where it ought to have been a noble incident of the civilized method for the determination of controversies. If such a course be not followed, every jury will be open to suspicion, and every trial, instead of marking the settlement of litigation, will merely further incite doubt and invite criticism. Judge Biggs did right, and he ought to be honored for doing it.

A jury certainly deserves a rest from talk when it is out of the box.

TAFT SALE

This store joins heartily in welcoming the President to our city and cordially invites all out-of-town visitors to make their headquarters with us.

The visit of President Taft to Wilmington on November 9th will be a memorable occasion. Hundreds of people living in the surrounding territory will join with the residents of our city in giving him a right royal Southern welcome. And Wilmington's leading store will do its full share toward contributing to the enjoyment of the day.

First of all we wish to extend the freedom of our store to all those from out of town. You will find this the largest, most modern, best stocked and most interesting establishment of its kind in Wilmington and the one that best repays a visit, whether you come to rest and look around or for the more important purpose of spending money. You'll find it a comfortable place, with a friendly make-your-self-at-home atmosphere and every one connected with it will show you every courtesy and attention.

To make your visit one of rich profit as well as pleasure, we will present

**Extraordinary Special Values in our magnificent new stocks of Millinery, Cloaks, Furs, Dress Goods, and Silks, Men's Clothing, Shoes, Carpets, Etc.**

A great many people will take advantage of their visit to the city on this occasion to supply their Fall and Winter merchandise needs, and we have planned to help them do so by providing unusual special values which will enable them to save substantially on their requirements. Note the special items listed here:

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| $12.50 Military Capes this Week | $9.98 |
| $10.00 Voile Skirts | $7.50 |
| $5.00 Panama Skirts | $3.50 |
| $15.00 Cloak asst. colors | $12.24 |
| $5.00 Trimmed or Ready to Wear Hats | $3.50 |
| Boys $5.00 Suits | $3.50 |
| Boys $5.00 Over Coat | $3.50 |
| 25c Cotton Warp Mattings for | 19c. |
| $1.50 Smyrna Rugs | 98c. |
| 50c Flannel Suiting | 39c |
| $15.00 Kirschbaum Suit | $12.50 |
| $12.50 Kirschbaum Suit | $9.98 |

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clothes are the best in the world; there are no other clothes made to equal them. Come and see for yourself. Every fabric all wool; tailoring of the highest class known.

Evening clothes, silk lined throughout, as a gentleman's clothes ought to be.

Senator Aldrich, as a financial crusader, is at least not fearful of entering the enemy's country.

Atlanta's over-weening ambition should now be satisfied. She has been proved to be the fastest city in the country.

No one so far at sea as that New York World correspondent could be expected to see anything in a thirty-foot channel.

"Betrayed by Light Woman", say the newspaper headlines in the case of the defaulting "Big Four" official. When did the fashions change in adventuress' complexions?

The Astors have again gently stirred New York by the ease and silence with which their money greased the wheels of their divorce. Is the indignation at the methods of the courts or the disappointment of the "Yellows"?

Colonel Walter R. Henry, of Charlotte, has taken to the lecture platform to discredit the opinion of Dr. Osler that men past sixty ought to be chloroformed. The evil that men do lives after them. Who has thought of Dr. Osler recently?

The New York Court of Appeals has rendered a decision that betting is not a crime except some record is made of the transaction. In other words, gambling is not the laying of odds, but the recording of the odds that are laid. This is the end of Governor Hughes' race-track crusade, a thing that did more than any other single act to bring him into national prominence and out of which New York constructed the pious fear that its favorite vice was ruined entirely. Book makers were never silent in calling their odds; what odds is it that the odds they call are not chalked up on the board? "Reform" such as this is what goes a far way toward giving all such movements a bad name.

The messages from the merchants are always interesting—and usually affect the "state of your purse."

## CURRENT COMMENT.

Charlotte had him first and did the honors with great credit, but we have no doubt that the "Queen City" joins heartily in the feeling of pride that pervades the State over the way the "City by the Sea" took care of the occasion.—Greenville Reflector.

England buys about four million bales of cotton annually from the people of the United States. At 5 cents a pound this used to cost about $100,000,000. Now the same cotton at 15 cents costs England $300,000,00. The American cotton farmer seems to have the English lion by his financial tail all right. And the lion is truly roaring.—Charlotte Chronicle.

Senator Cullom engages in rapt prophecy of what would ensue if only the negro vote were eliminated from the South. He wants the negro vote eliminated and does not blame white men in many or most Southern States for voting almost solidly at present. But the bold Senator hastens to explain that he does not favor negro disfranchisement. He would much better never have discussed the subject at all. We hate to see politicians who are so shrinkingly timid.—Charlotte Observer.

What was intended to be a local conference of physicians at Columbia, S. C., to investigate pellagra assumed the aspect of an international congress. The fact is illustrative of the promptness with which new problems of disease are attacked by modern medical science. The nature and ravages of pellagra were yesterday but faintly understood. They are now the subject of medical study both here and in Europe, with the prospect that the disease in the near future will be well under control, if not eradicated.—Durham Sun.

Wilmington did the entertaining act in the royal way that was expected. The city by the sea has long been famed as a most liberal dispenser of hospitality and the quality and quantity "is not strained." It is a great honor to entertain the President of the United States and this honor carries with it great responsibilities. Wilmington was equal to the occasion and acquitted herself nobly. Mr. Taft doubtless carries away with him most pleasant memories of North Carolina and its people, which the Wilmington celebration testified.—Wilson Times.

The Greenville Reflector gives an account of a demonstration in stump blasting made in Pitt county recently by representatives of a well known company. It says these representatives of the company "are making demonstrations to the farmers throughout the United States and 29 places in North Carolina." This reminds us of that paleface Indian doctor's account, during a street talk in Raleigh. He said he had made two trips to foreign parts, one to South America and the other to Harnett county. But that was some years ago, when only one of the four railroads now traversing the county had been built and before Harnett had taken on the progressive spirit which has since then brought it out of the woods.—Charlotte Observer.

It is gratifying to learn that the school farms which have become permanent in connection with various public schools in the rural districts of Wake county have proved a success. These farms, consisting of one or more acres of land adjacent to the schools, are planted to several crops and are cultivated by the school children. In this way, besides the mental benefit derived, children learn practical farming. They are given healthy recreation, of kind, too, which is serviceable in after life. Wake has twelve school farms. They have proved so satisfactory that others will be established and it is highly probable that many counties will fall in line. One of these school farms, two acres in area, produced a tobacco crop which was sold for $313. From another there has already been sold two bales of cotton, and a third bale will be gathered. So it can be seen that these farms are not only beneficial in the way of practical education, but are also a source of revenue. This is another illustration of the practical turn that is being given to public education in North Carolina.—Kinston Free Press.

**Kills Her Foe of 20 Years.**

"The most merciless enemy I had for 20 years," declares Mrs. James Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., "was dyspepsia. I suffered intensely after eating or drinking and could scarcely sleep. After many remedies had failed and several doctors gave me up I tried Electric Bitters, which cured me completely. Now I can eat anything. I am 70 years old and am overjoyed to get my health and strength back again." For indigestion, loss of appetite, kidney trouble, lame back, female complaints, it's unequaled. Only 50c at R. R. Bellamy.

# VICIOUS NEWSPAPER STORY

**Staff Correspondent of New York World Has Wicked Things to Say of President's Taft's Visit to Wilmington.**

Replying to a vicious assault upon Wilmington's hospitality and the President's responsiveness to the splendid entertainment given him here upon the occasion of his visit to this city on Tuesday, which is treated more comprehensively in the editorial columns of the Star today, the following official telegram was sent yesterday to the New York World with a request that the same be published in reply to its staff correspondent, and a copy was also forwarded to the New York Herald:

"The World, New York City:

"In your issue of the 10th your accredited representatives to the President's party represents the President as treating his reception at Wilmington with marked discourtesy. The statement is made that the entertainment committee brought to the attention of the President the project for the development of the Cape Fear river, outlining the scheme of increasing the depth of water from 23 to 30 feet, and your representative says that the President looked at the river then at the committee and retired to the captain's cabin and slept five hours. Such a representation is a gross perversion of the facts, and injustice to the President, no less than to ourselves. I wish to say that Mr. Dunlap did not accompany the Presidential party at any of the functions in Wilmington, and is reliably reported to have spent the time in his apartments on the Presidential train. The President was not addressed on the subject of our local project, nor did he sleep any part of the time while on the river trip, but in company with Gov. Kitchin, Senator Overman and other citizens, occupied the forward deck of the ship throughout the trip. The President impressed himself on the Wilmington people as being a man bred to the highest exactions of social refinement, and your accredited representative discredits himself but not the President.

J. A. TAYLOR,
"President Wilmington Chamber of Commerce."

## A BOYS' GREETING.

**Young Wilmingtonian Who Creditably Represented His Father.**

One incident that occurred during President Taft's visit to Wilmington must not be allowed to pass. It demonstrates the independence and manliness of a Wilmington boy and shows what kind of stuff a young fellow should have in him to make his way among men as he grows older. It takes the aggressive boy to make the more aggressive and self-reliant men, and that spirit was manifested by young Mr. Henry Bacon McKoy, the 16-year-old son of W. B. McKoy, Esq., last Tuesday morning when President Taft was to be received by citizens at Front street station.

The elder Mr. McKoy was a member of the committee which was to meet Mr. Taft, but he could not go to the station. The younger McKoy requested his father to give him his badge and he would represent him. The proper credentials were handed over but when the young man attempted to pass through the rope cordon, a policeman stopped him. He pointed to his badge, the officer stood aside and thus a boy can say that he was in the party which greeted a President of the United States when he visited Wilmington.

## PROBABLE CAUSE FOUND.

**Mr. A. D. Smith Bound Over to Recorder for Assault.**

Mr. A. D. Smith was given a hearing in Justice George Harriss' court yesterday afternoon on the charge of assault with deadly weapon upon Mr. R. L. Rouse at the union passenger station Wednesday afternoon. The warrant against Mr. Smith was sworn out by Mr. Rouse, who is himself indicted for an affray, the affidavit being made by Mr. John W. Gafford. Both cases were to have been heard yesterday afternoon, but when the trial was entered into there was nothing said about hearing both, hence the case against Mr. Rouse will come up at 10 o'clock this morning. As to Mr. Smith the justice held that there was probable cause and bound him over to the Recorder's court, bond in the sum of $100 being required. Woodus Kellum, Esq., appeared for Mr. Smith and L. Clayton Grant, Esq., for Mr. Rouse.

## FUNERAL OF MRS. CASHWELL.

**Impressive Services Held From Late Home Yesterday.**

In the presence of a large concourse of friends and relatives, impressive funeral services were held at the Catherine Kennedy Home, on Princess street, at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, over the remains of Mrs. Susanna Wilcox Cashwell, whose death occurred Wednesday afternoon at an advanced age. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor of the First Baptist church. There were many beautiful floral designs. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. J. H. Rehder, F. A. Bissinger, John R. Hanby and H. G. Fennell.

**Was Not the Right Man.**

Policeman H. A. Warren, of Wilson, returned to the city yesterday from Fort Caswell, where he went to turn over to the fort authorities a young white man thought to be Charles Chieck, who deserted the Coast Artillery service at Fort Terry, N. Y., October 18th. The young man was identified by a corporal at the fort as being James S. Spencer with whom he did service some time ago at another fort. Spencer was released and returned to Wilmington with the officer. Mr. Warren left last night for his home in Wilson.

There is no case on record of a cough or cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken, as it will stop your cough and break up your cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. Robert R. Bellamy.

# THE STREET COMMISSION

**Members Sworn in and Organization Meeting Held—Plans for Beginning the Extensive Improvements.**

The Street Commission, composed of five representative citizens, is now an animate body and within the next few days plans will be formulated for the improvement of the streets of the city, and the work will be prosecuted as rapidly as possible.

The Commission is composed of Capt. L. S. Belden, Messrs. W. E. Worth, Walter L. Parsley, R. H. Brady and George Heyer. They met in the office of Mayor Walter G. McRae Wednesday afternoon and the oath of office was administered to them by Mr. J. J. Fowler, as a justice of the peace. The Commission was organized by the election of Capt. L. S. Belden as chairman and Mr. Parsley as temporary secretary. After perfecting an organization the Commission adjourned.

A member of the commission stated last night that a meeting would be held within the next few days at which plans for improving the streets will be formulated. It is the purpose of the Commission to get down to business right away and start the street extensive improvement work. At a joint meeting of the Board of Aldermen and Board of Audit and Finance Tuesday night, November 2nd, a resolution was passed authorizing the sale of $100,000 worth of street improvement bonds. A member of the Street Commission stated that he expected these bonds to be disposed of in the immediate future so the Commission could have some money with which to carry on the improvements. At the next meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance the matter of placing the bonds on the market will probably come up for consideration.

## PRACTICAL DEMONSTRATIONS.

**How to Rid Land of Stumps With Dynamite Will be Shown.**

Three practical demonstrations of stump blasting with dynamite will be given in this immediate section by the Dupont Powder Company under the auspices of The Carolina Trucking Development Company and the N. Jacobi Hardware Company. The demonstrations will be given at the following places and times: Saturday, November 13th, at 1 P. M., on one of C. T. D. Co's farms at St. Helena; Monday, November 15th, at 10 A. M. at Artesia colony, and in the afternoon at 4 o'clock on the farm of Mr. W. H. Blake, about one mile from the city limits on the Castle Haynes road. This perhaps is the first opportunity given many farmers to witness such an exhibition. The Dupont Powder Company contends that the cheapest and best way to rid land of stumps is by use of dynamite and they wish to demonstrate this to all the farmers in this section. The farmers in this and adjoining counties are cordially invited to witness the demonstration and hear the lecture of Mr. E. W. Dupont, who will personally conduct the exhibition. Ridding land of stumps has been a problem for the farmers for years. The Dupont company has aided the farmers in many sections and feel confident that the same results can be accomplished in this section.

## "ALICE IN WONDERLAND."

**Will be Presented at Academy Under Auspices of W. L. I.**

Under the auspices of the Wilmington Light Infantry "Alice in Wonderland" will be presented at the Academy of Music on the nights of November 30th and December 1st with a matinee on the second date. Children will be selected from the public schools of the city and will be trained by instructors from New York. There will be several choruses and small speaking and acting parts. The children will be assisted in the production by professionals. All stage costumes, properties, electrical and calcium effects, etc., are furnished. The members of the Wilmington Light Infantry are determined to make a grand success of this undertaking. The friends of the company, especially the ladies, are called upon to give their aid in making the occasion a great success. A committee has been appointed and is busy perfecting the arangements for the performances.

## THE HOSPITAL IN OCTOBER.

**Monthly Report to the Board of Managers of Institution.**

At the November meeting of the board of managers of the James Walker Memorial Hospital the report of the institution for the month of October was submitted as follows: Number of patients remaining September 30th, 37; admitted in October, 57; total, 94. Patients discharged in October, 46; died, 10; total, 56. Number of days treatment: Pay patients, 311; charity patients, 746; total 1,057. Operations: Operating room, 12; dispensary, 4; total, 16. Number of dressings, 23; ambulance calls 44. Out-patient department: New cases treated, 58; old cases treated, 44; total 91. Number of dressings on new cases, 138; number of dressings on old cases 139; total 277.

## RED MEN'S CARNIVAL.

**Attracting Large Crowds Day and Night—Some Good Shows.**

The Red Men's Carnival, which is holding forth this week at corner of Fourth and Castle streets, is attracting large crowds day and night and the various shows are being liberally patronized. The attractions are furnished by the Barkoot Company and are said to be high-class in every respect. Some real good shows are being offered. There was a great crowd on the grounds last night and the several attractions were well patronized. The carnival will continue through tomorrow.

**Young Girls Are Victims**

of headache, as well as older women, but all get quick relief and prompt cure from Dr. King's New Life Pills, the world's best remedy for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood, and strong nerves and build up your health. Try them. 25c at R. R. Bellamy.

# GREATER WILMINGTON CLUB

**"Good Roads" Will be Discussed at First Fall Meeting Tuesday Night—Chairmen of Committees Announced.**

The first Fall meeting of the Greater Wilmington Club, which promises much for the material advancement of this city along all lines, will be held in the Court House Tuesday night of next week and it is hoped to have a large attendance of the representative citizens. This really will be the most important meeting yet held and it means, too, the formal beginning of a great campaign by the club.

This club was organized about the middle of the Summer and started off with more than 200 members, among the number being some of the most prominent and successful business men of Wilmington. Since then a large number of others have signified their intention of enrolling as members and giving their efforts to the success of the club. Owing to the fact that the Summer was well advanced it was deemed wise not to hold another meeting until Fall. Some weeks ago some of the members got together and decided that the time to hold the Fall meeting was shortly after the visit of President Taft. This was well. It would have been hard to have secured a representative meeting prior to his coming as the citizens generally were too much interested in planning for that event. The signal sucess of the celebration has demonstrated better than anything that has taken place recently that the people of Wilmington are thoroughly alive and can get together and pull for one common end. Everything in connection with the celebration was planned and executed as few other cities could have done. Unity of action is what did it. Now the citizens are ready to take hold of the club and show to the country at large what can be done toward the material advancement of a city through such an organization. That there is great need for such an organization here, as in every other city where there is not one already, is conceded by all and that great things can be accomplished through it is a fact also well recognized. This club hopes to have in a short time a membership of between 500 and 1,000 prominent citizens, and who can foretell what such a band of men acting in unison will accomplish for Wilmington? The possibilities are almost unlimited and great results will most assuredly follow.

At the meeting Tuesday night "Good Roads" will be the chief subject for discussion and consideration. It is given out that a good roads expert from the western part of the State will be here and deliver an address Besides, several local men will speak on the subject.

Mr. A. B. Skelding, the able and progressive president of the organization, yesterday gave out the following statement regarding the club:

"With the first regular meeting of the Greater Wilmington Club on Tuesday next, we desire to state to the public that while this organization is in no sense of the word connected with the Chamber of Commerce it is not a competitor, but proposes on the other hand to co-operate with that body in every way possible in reaching that part of the community, which, by reason of its plan of organization, the Chamber of Commerce is unable to do.

"The chairmen of the various committees have been selected rather from the younger element of our public men in whose hands the future of Wilmington will lie, it being their intention, from time to time, as occasion arises, to call freely upon the "elder statesmen" for their guidance and assistance in shaping those matters which may come before the club for consideration.

"We ask from the Wilmington public their hearty co-operation towards making the opening meeting of the club a success. The subject which has been selected at this time will be "Good Roads." Several prominent speakers have already agreed to address the meeting, and a good roads expert from the western part of the State is expected to be present.

"The following are chairmen of the various committees, as now constituted, who will become members of the central committee: Mr. R. L. Boyd—Industrial; Mr. R. Hunt—Membership; Mr. Duncan McEachern—Transportation; Mr. C. N. Evans—Convention; Col. W. F. Robertson—Entertainment; Fred Bonitz, Esq.—Public Improvement; Mr. Thos. H. Wright—Advertising; Louis Goodman, Esq.—Information; Mr. R. C. DeRosset—Finance; Major E. W. Van C. Lucas—Immigration; George Elliott, Esq.—Legal; Mr. B. O. Stone—Railroad."

## THE SEABOARD WRECK.

**Coach Into Which Freight Crashed Was Occupied by Veterans.**

Rev. W. M. Shaw, who returned on the early morning train yesterday from Clarkton, gives a graphic account of the recent wreck on the Seaboard at Armour, N. C. The rear coach of a special train for Taft Day into which the freight crashed, was occupied by Robeson county and Bladen county Confederate veterans and their escape from serious injury was marvellous. Only the splitting of two cars in front saved them from the terrible force of the impact. As it was, the rear coach was telescoped for several feet and many of the old soldiers were badly bruised up and shaken. Maj. W. S. Clark, in charge of the Bladen veterans, here for the Taft celebration, was perhaps worst hurt and has been confined to his bed since. Sheriff Marvin Clark, of Bladen, was also injured rather severely, but not seriously. While no bones were broken, the veterans in the party were badly shaken up and will be nursing bruises for some days in all probability.

**A Scalded Boy's Shrieks**

horrified his grandmother, Mrs. Maria Taylor, of Nebo, Ky., who writes that, when all thought he would die, Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured him. Infallible for burns, scalds, cuts, corns, wounds, bruises. Cures fever-sores, boils, skin eruptions, chilblains, chapped hands. Soon routs piles. 25c at R. R. Bellamy.

# The Theatre

The present novel and highly delightful offering at the Crystal Palace continues to give immense satisfaction, and this finds no better exemplification than in big audiences. The fact that the bill is changed daily is making a big hit and consequently is proving of stronger drawing power. The two farce comedies given each day are fine ones and cause those present to yell with laughter, while the vaudeville numbers being given are exceedingly clever. The Breton-Runkel Company is presenting the bills this week and is proving a big favorite. The feature one act screamer for today will be "The Office Boy" and laughs in giant chunks are gunranteed. Those wishing to enjoy life should go to the Palace this week.

**Richard Carle Coming.**

"Mary's Lamb," with Richard Carle and his merry crew of singers and dancers, comes to the Academy soon. This sprightly musical play was one of the big successes of the Spring and Summer season in New York, Chicago and Boston, running six months in those cities. Mr. Carle adapted the play from a French farce, but he has made so many alterations and added so much of his own, that the bare skeleton of the original remains. The author-comedian brings a splendid company, headed by Julia Ralph, Adele Rafter, Sylvian Langlois, George Boguss, Joseph Coffman, and Abbott Adams; and his chorus is said to be the last word in beauty and grace.

**At the Bijou Today.**

Today's bill at the Bijou is a most excellent one. The feature pictures are "Amateur Detective" and "The Child's Prayer." Great crowds patronize the Bijou every day and the audience at each performance today will doubtless be very large.

**Small but Appreciative Audience.**

Mr. Tim Murphy and a well balanced company presented "Old Innocence" to a small but appreciative audience at the Academy of Music last night. The audience was about the smallest seen at the opera house this season. Mr. Murphy appears in this city every season and is a favorite with many theatre-goers. The supporting company was good. The play was deserving of a larger audience.

## OFFICERS ARE DETACHED

**Number of Changes on the Seminole. Two Leave Saturday.**

Persuant to orders from the Treasury Department issued last week Second Lieutenant Hutson, Second Lieutenant of Engineers C. C. McMillan, and Third Lieutenant of Engineers W. H. Doron are detached from the revenue cutter Seminole and have been assigned to service elsewhere.

Lieutenant Hutson has been a member of the corps of oficers of the Seminole for the past two years and is a clever and popular young officer, who is well known in the city and has a large number of friends. He becomes an instructor and watch officer at the School of Instruction of the Revenue Cutter Service at Arundel Cove, Maryland. Lieutenant Doron, who has been with the Seminole, for some time past is also sent to the School of Instructon to attend lectures on military law. He also has made many friends in Wilmington during his service on the Seminole. First Lieutenant of Engineers C. C. McMillan, who has been temporarily attached to the Seminole, has been relieved by First Lieutenant Spear, who was formerly with the cutter here, and returned this week. Lieutenant McMillan goes back to the derelict destroyer Seneca, where he formerly served as first Lieutenant of engineers. He has been long in the service and during his short stay here has made many acquaintances. No appointments have been made to the vacant positions.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Hutson leave Saturday for Baltimore, from which place they will go to the School of Instruction at Arundel Cove.

## NEW PASTOR ARRIVES TODAY.

**Rev. C. H. Sweet Will be Given a Reception Tonight.**

Rev. C. H. Sweet, the newly elected pastor of the new Advent Christian Church, corner Fourth and Church streets, will arrive with his wife today from Darling Park, Fla., where he has been prominent in the church for a number of years. Mr. and Mrs. Sweet will be the guests for a few days of Mr. R. P. McClammy, corner Front and Church streets, where tonight from 7:30 to 9 o'clock they will be tendered an informal reception.

Mr. Sweet will occupy his pulpit Sunday, morning and evening. The new edifice is nearing completion and will likely be dedicated about the first Sunday in December. Mr. Sweet is not a stranger here, having preached to the congregation several times during the Summer and made a most favorable impression upon all those who heard him. He and his wife will be given a warm welcome to Wilmington.

## ASSAULT ON WIFE CHARGED.

**Negro Jailed in Default of Heavy Bond—Badly Injured.**

Charged with a brutal assault upon his wife, Ennick Walker, colored, was arrested yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriff A. T. Piver. The warrant was sworn out before Justice G. W. Bornemann, who committed the defendant to jail in default of $500 bond. Walker and his wife live on Eighth street, between Castle and Queen, and, following a quarrel yesterday morning, it is charged that Walker brutally assaulted his better half, injuring her to such an extent that it was necessary to send her to the hospital for treatment. It was stated yesterday morning that it was feared that her skull had been fractured, having been knocked to the floor by her husband. The trial will take place as soon as the woman is able to be out.

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## ARRANGE WEEK OF PRAYER.

**Observed at Y. M. C. A. Next Week With Two Services Daily.**

The observance of the week of prayer at the Y. M. C. A. in this city beginning next Sunday will be marked by special exercises, which have been arranged in an appropriate and interesting manner for these public services. The young men and business men of the city with pastors of churches are invited to participate, services being held in the Association parlors from 1 to 1:30 each afternoon and from 9:15 to 9:45 at night. The services in the week days will be conducted by laymen and on Sunday by pastors of the city churches.

The week of prayer will be formally inaugurated with an address by Rev. J. H. Foster, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church, at the men's meeting at the Association next Sunday afternoon.

The week of prayer is observed by the Y. M. C. A. throughout the country, and the daily subjects are outlined as follows: Sunday, The work of the North American International Committee on the home field, the United States, the Canal Zone and the Army and Navy work in the Philippines; Monday, The work of the International Committee on Foreign field, The young men of Africa; Tuesday, The work of the State and Provincial Committees of the North American Association; Wednesday, The church Brotherhoods and kindred organizations of Christian men, The young men of Asia; Thursday, Young men of Australasia; Friday, Association boards of directors and managing committees, The young men of Europe; Saturday, National Committees of Young Men's Christian Associations Throughout the world, The World's Committee; Sunday, A Day of Thanksgiving and Evangelistic effort for men and boys.

**Want Fruit Vender to Move.**

Christar Megotof, a fruit vender, who has his stand in the corridor of the Smith building, on Princess street, was given a hearing in Justice George Harriss' court late yesterday afternoon on the charge of trespass, the warrant being sworn out by Mr. Thos. H. Wright, one of the owners of the building. The closet under the stairway in the passage was rented by Mr. Wright to another fruit vender. Megotof sub leased the closet and has been displaying his fruit in the corridor and on the side of the street. The office tenants objected to the corridor being obstructed and Mr. Wright notified the vender that he would have to move. He refused and the warrant followed. The warrant was sworn out before Justice Bornemann but the case was removed by the defendant to Justice Harriss. A decision in the case will be rendered by the justice today. Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., appears for the prosecution and Walter P. Gafford, Esq., for the defendant.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs quickly strengthens the lungs and expels colds. Get the genuine in a yellow package Robert R Bellamy.

## INTEREST OF BOYS.

**Conference Held at the Y. M. C. A. Last Night—Address.**

Mr. C. C. Robinson, Boys' Secretary of the Southern States of the Y. M. C. A., who has been spending several days here in the interest of his department, held a conference last night with the board of directors of the local association and others. He made a most interesting address, setting forth in a most able manner the scope of the work, which is not confined to the boys in the association. He referred to the work of the four principal agencies which are for the development of the boys, the church, the Sunday School, public schools and the government, and spoke of his visit during the day to the public schools of Wilmington, where he met practically all of the pupils and made brief addresses. The supplemental agencies for the development of the best there is in the boy is the Y. M. C. A., armory and playgrounds. He appealed to his hearers to take a greater interest in the welfare of the community and see that the best influences are thrown around them. What the boys need most is leadership—thrown into close contact with good and strong men. After Mr. Robinson concluded there was a general discussion of the subject and he was called upon to answer a large number of questions relative to the best way of aiding the boys.

The association secured the promise of Mr. Robinson to return to Wilmington in the early part of December when a special gathering of those interested will be held. A committee composed of J. W. Little, Esq., chairman, Messrs. W. W. Koch, B. Mills, J. J. Blair and Edwin Kettle, was named to arrange for the general meeting and other meetings that will be held upon the return of Mr. Robinson. The meeting last night, which followed an enjoyable supper, was presided over by Dr. Joseph Akerman, president of the association. Those attending the supper were: Dr. Joseph Akerman, Messrs. C. C. Robinson, Wilbur Dosher, J. W. Little, W. H. Williams, B. Mills, W. W. Koch, S. M. Boatwright, W. H. Sprunt, J. A. McGeachy, K. W. Price, J. U. King, Chas. Dushon, William Corbett, J. J. Blair, Professor Seagle, B. H. Tyrrell, H. W. Malloy, L. D. Latta, Edwin Kettle and Rev. Thos. P. Noe.

**Recorder's Court Yesterday.**

In the Recorder's court yesterday Ethel Holloman, colored, was found guilty of assault with deadly weapon upon Grace Cochrane, colored, and fined $25 and costs, or three months on the county farm. According to the evidence the Holloman woman slightly cut Grace Cochrane with a knife. There were several other cases in which the defendants were either charged with drunkenness or disorderly conduct or both and they were let off with the usual fine.

Every housewife "in business"—is a buyer of home supplies—and should watch for buying opportunities as closely as though she were buying to sell again.

## STATE PRESIDENTS HERE

**Miss Elizabeth Moore Speaks in the Interest of Temperance.**

Miss Elizabeth Moore, of Mecklenburg county, State President of the W. C. T. U., delivered two very strong and interesting addresses in this city yesterday. She addressed a large audience of ladies at Grace Methodist Church at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and last night she spoke at a gathering at the First Baptist church. In the afternoon she did not confine her remarks to any particular subject, speaking of the temperance work in a general way, but last night she used as her theme, "Power of Influence." She presented her subject in a most charming and convincing manner and held the closest attention of her hearers. When she had concluded Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor of the First Baptist church, and Messrs. W. P. Oldham and W. M. Cumming spoke briefly but interestingly along the same lines. This afternoon at 4 o clock Miss Moore will deliver an address to children at the First Baptist church, using as her subject, "Character Building." The children of the city are urged to hear her. Miss Moore is one of the best known and most active temperance workers in the State, being State organizer or lecturer for a long time before her election to the presidency. While in the city she is a guest at the home of Mr. A. O. Osborne, 513 Princess street.

**Major Gattis Lost Letters.**

Major C. H. Gattis, traveling passenger agent of the Seaboard, who attended the Taft celebration, either had stolen from him or lost out of his pocket a number of valuable railroad and personal letters and tickets. Major Gattis has returned to Raleigh and would appreciate any information that would aid him in recovering the valuable letters.

## TAFT OFF FOR HARTFORD.

**President Leaves Washington For Two Days' Trip—Party Along.**

Washington, Nov. 11.—President Taft and party left Washington on the Federal Express over the Pennsylvania railroad at 5:35 o'clock this afternoon for Hartford and Middletown Conn., for a two day trip. The departure was made on schedule time and was without incident.

In the President's private car "Mayflower" were Vice President Sherman, Attorney General Wickersham and Mr. Taft's military aide, Captain Archibald Butt.

The Vice President will accompany the President to Middletown where the degree of LL. D. will be conferred on both of them tomorrow by Wesleyan University. Mr. Wickersham's presence on the train was for the purpose of discussing with the President matters connected with his Department. The Attorney General will go as far as Philadelphia and expects to return to Washington tomorrow morning. Only a few persons were present at the Union station to see the Presidential party off.

The ads will show you whether or not there's a chance today to buy that piece of furniture at your price.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
Cures Coughs, Colds, Croup, La Grippe, Asthma, Throat and Lung Troubles. Prevents Pneumonia and Consumption
CONTAINS NO HARMFUL DRUGS
The Genuine is in the YELLOW PACKAGE
ROBERT R. BELLAMY.

THE C. W. POLVOGT CO.
THE STORE THAT'S ALWAYS BUSY.

Bargains in Millinery

We have purchased two sample lines of Fancy Feathers, Wings, Birds, Ostrich Feathers, Ornaments, Buckles, Braids and Pins which we will place on sale during this week for about one-half their regular value.

Sample line of ladies' and children's Hats are also displayed at prices that will average one-third to one-half off their value. A rare chance to buy your new Fall hat at a greatly reduced price.

Carpet Specials This Week

We have a lot of short lengths of carpets suitable for rooms or halls, in 10 to 25 yard lengths, which we offer at 50c, 75c, $1 and $1.10 per yard; worth from 75c to $1.65 per yard.

Our carpet department is the largest in the State. We are prepared to furnish you with any amount, does not matter how small or large the order may be. We quote prices on our carpets and matting laid on your floor. None but best workmen employed. Come, see our immense stock.

The C. W. POLVOGT CO.

# IN SOCIETY

Miss May Bell Sneed has returned home after a delightful stay of two months and a half in New York City.

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Mrs. Joseph D. Smith and daughter, Miss Alice Reston Smith, left last night for Baltimore, Md., where they will spend several weeks.

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The Wilmington sub-division of the Red Cross Society will meet in the parlors of the Colonial Inn at 11 o'clock this morning. Officers for the ensuing term will be elected and business of importance will be transacted.

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A Festival of the Seasons will be held Monday and Tuesday night of the next week by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of the Good Shepherd Monday and Tuesday nights of priately represented by attractively decorated booths on which will be found fancy articles and dainty refreshments. Only a nominal admission will be charged.

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Mrs. J. Z. Mims and little son, J. Z. Mims, Jr., were guests at The Orton this week. Mrs. Mims is the only daughter of Editor T. Larry Gantt, of the Whiteville News-Reporter, and is herself a young newspaper woman of experience and ability. She possesses a most genial disposition and has made many warm friends during her connection with the News-Reporter.

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Attractive invitations have been received by friends in the city, carrying the following interesting and pleasing announcement to hundreds of friends of the young people named:

Mrs. Joseph Murphy Cronly
requests the honor of your presence
at the marriage of her daughter
Jean
to
Mr. Swift Miller Boatwright
on the evening of Tuesday,
the twenty-third of November
at six o'clock
at Saint James' Church
Wilmington, North Carolina.

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### A PRETTY WEDDING SOLEMNIZED AT WARSAW.

Warsaw, Nov. 11.—A wedding of unusual interest took place in the Baptist church here yesterday at 8:30 o'clock when Miss Mamie Noel became the bride of Mr. J. C. D. Herring. The church had been beautifully decorated for the happy occasion in palms, ferns and cut flowers. A pyramid of white and green filled the chancel while shaded candelabra lent a soft glow and charm to all. Festoons of green encircled the windows and doors and rendered more attractive the lovely bridal scene. Long before the appointed hour the church was filled to overflowing with friends and admirers of the contracting parties. As the notes of Lohengrin rang out from the organ, violin and flute played by Miss Ellastelle Brown, Prof. Mehegan and Dr. Vaughn, Messrs. L. P. Best and O. P. Middleton came down the right aisle, Messrs. D. E. Best and G. G. Best down the centre, and Messrs. S. A. Strickland and Oscar Herring down the left aisle, each crossing in front of the altar and forming a semi-circle around it. When the ushers had taken their positions, Dr. Herring and Miss Noel came down the centre aisle and stood in front of the altar. Rev. Braxton Craig performed the ceremony in a most impressive manner while the skillfully rendered music lent an air of sweet solemnity to the occasion. The bride was becomingly gowned in white crepe de chine and carried a shower bouquet of brides' roses. The bride is a charming and accomplished woman and is prominently connected, she being a sister of Governor Noel of Mississippi and of Mrs. H. F. Pierce of this place. The groom who has lived here for the past several years is a successful and popular dentist and is much admired for his sterling Christian character and his professional and business ability.

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### MR. WILLIAM C. HOLLAND TO MISS DAISIE C. LYON.

Fayetteville, N. C., Nov. 11.—The Observer this afternoon prints the following account of a wedding that will be of much interest to friends throughout this section of the state: "This afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Eastlawn, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cook, Mr. William Connor Holland, Jr., was happily married to Mrs. Daisie Cooper Lyon. The bride entered the parlor, which was beautifully decorated with potted plants, ferns and Chrysanthemums, on the arm of her father Mr. H. B. Cooper of New Orleans; where she was met by the groom, attended by his best man and brother, Mr. R. M. Holland; at an improvised altar banked by lovely flowers. Here Rev. L. E. Thompson, in the simple but beautiful and impressive service of the Methodist church made them man and wife. The groom is a young man who has lived here all his life and who by his close attention to business has won and holds the confidence of the business community; while his genial personality has made him popular with everyone. He is now the manager of the shoe store of Mr. M. L. Courtney. The bride is a charming young widow, who only recently made this city her home, and who by her gracious manner and charming personality has won a place in the hearts of everyone she has met. The bride wore a going away gown of blue cloth with hat to match. After congratulations from their friends, and light refreshments of ices and cake had been served, the happy couple repaired to the A. C. L. station and boarded the train for Chadbourn, N. C., where they will spend a few days with the groom's sister, Mrs. T. C. Clute. On their return they will make their residence at 322 Person street, where they will be at home to their friends after November 20th. The many handsome presents received attest the popularity of this young couple and we join their friends in wishing them many long years of happiness. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cooper, parents; Misses Mai and Virginia Gertrude Cooper, sisters; and Mr. Harry Cooper, brother of the bride; and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Clute of Chadbourn and Mrs. Jno. H. Osborne of Cleveland Mills, N. C., the latter sisters of the groom, were the out of town guests."

—Mr. H. Daniels, of Nichols, S. C., was here yesterday making business calls.

## LOCAL DOTS.

—By deed filed for record yesterday John B. Mercer and wife tranfer to Eli Cavanaugh, for $200, two lots at Mercer Place, East Wilmington.

—The schooner Annie F. Kimball, Capt. Southard, cleared yesterday for Baltimore with cargo of 349,670 feet of lumber from the Angola Lumber Company; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

—Justice Bornemann yesterday at noon gave J. W. Walker a judgment against W. T. Croom for $20, the amount alleged to be due Mr. Walker for oysters delivered to the defendant Tuesday.

—The schooner Geo. F. Phillips, Capt. Gaskins, cleared yesterday for New York with cargo of fish oil for New York. The cargo is by the Ocean Fisheries and the vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

—The schooner Edward R. Baird, Capt. Bennett, arrived yesterday from New York with cargo of fertilizer constituents for the Pocomoke Guano Company to be discharged to the Seaboard Air Line; vessel to C. D. Maffitt.

## FEDERATION OF LABOR

### Industrial Education is Urged in Report of Mitchell's Committee.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 11.—Affiliation of the American Federation of Labor with the International Labor Congress of Europe and other international bodies was proposed in a resolution presented at today's convention by the delegates of the association of street and electric railroad employes of America. Over 50 resolutions in all were offered at the last afternoon session.

One resolution presented by the piano and organ workers suggested that "the time has come for the wage worker to become a factor in politics" and urges the early formation of a labor party.

The longshoremen want the deep waterways projects throughout the country endorsed; the street railway men would have the convention declare in favor of a universal label for all affiliated organizations; the Alabama State Federation wants the question of the establishment of a National Tuberculosis Sanitarium investigated and the seamen's union urges the Federation to endorse the strike on the Great Lakes and pledge the strikers its financial support.

P. J. McArdle, president of the Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, introduced a resolution requiring all organizations affiliated with the Federation to contribute 25 cents per member for the creation of a national defense fund in aid of organizations engaged in strikes or boycotts.

Addresses by fraternal delegates occupied the major portion of the day's proceedings. A feature of the day was the report presented by John Mitchell on behalf of the special committee appointed to investigate the subject of industrial education.

"It is believed," says the report, "that the future welfare of America largely depends on the industrial training of our workers and protecting them. The inquiries of the committee seem to indcate that if the American workmen is to maintain the high standard of efficiency, the boys and girls of the country must have an opportunity to acquire educated hands and brains, such as may enable them to earn a living in a self selected vocation and acquire an intelligent understanding of the duties of good citizenship. We favor the establishment of schools in connection with the public school system at which pupils between the ages of 14 and 16 may be taught the priciples of the trades, not necessarily in separate buildings, but in separate schools adapted to this particular education, and by competent and trained teachers."

"The one trouble of America today" says the report, "is that too many of our youths who have graduated from the grammar or high school, are misfits industrially. If we are to secure industrial supremacy, or even maintain our present standards in the industial world, we must in some way in our educational system acquire an equivalent to our old apprenticeship system."

## SEABOARD DIRECTORS NAMED.

### Stockholders Held Meeting in Petersburg—President Later.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 11.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Seaboard Air Line Railway was held today in the company's office at Petersburg. Judge Leigh R. Watts, of Portsmouth, presided, and D. C. Porteous, of New York, was secretary. All the stock was represented in person or by proxy.

Those present were Judge L. R. Watts, G. Hattan and Robert L. Nutt, of Portsmouth; D. C. Porteus, B. H. Brown, of New York; John Skelton Williams, of Richmond; F. G. Boyce, Jr., of Baltimore.

All of the 19 old directors were re-elected and a vote was added in the person of H. C. Perkins, of Washington, D. C., who is said to be a warm personal friend and close business associate of John Skelton Williams, the probable new president of the road.

Only routine business was transacted at the meeting today. The directors will meet later in New York for organization and the election of president.

## ONSLOW VETERANS.

### Camp Formed at Jacksonville, N. C., Yesterday—Several Addresses.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Jacksonville, N. C., Nov. 11.—The Confederate Veterans of Onslow county assembled here today and organized a camp to be known as Camp Lee, U. C. V. Col. S. B. Taylor was elected captain and commander; H. C. Canady, first lieutenant; Dr. B. L. Kellum, adjutant and Rev. J. T. Browning, chaplain. About 90 of the "boys who wore the gray" were in attendance at the meeting, which was gracefully presided over by Col. Taylor. Representatives E. M. Koonce, Senator J. W. Burton and Mr. J. Frank Wooten were called upon to address the crowd and each in turn responded most happily, provoking much enthusiasm and good feeling.

After the meeting the crowd was invited to the public square where a sumptuous dinner had been spread. Every one entered heartily into the pleasures of the occasion and went away feeling that it was good to have been here.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. G. A. Martin, a prominent citizen of Morven, N. C., spent yesterday in the city on business.

—Among those registered at The Orton yesterday were: S. R. Thompson, Lumberton; Mrs. M. H. Wharton, and Mrs. S. S. Currie, Hamlet.

—Mr. L. J. Cooper, president of the Hillsboro Grocery Company, Tampa, Fla., spent yesterday in the city with his brothers, Messrs. W. B. and Thos. E. Cooper. Mr. Cooper was on his way to his old home in Mullins, S. C.

## TAFT APPROVES PLANS.

### Port Harbor Will be Great Naval Station in the Pacific.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The recommendation of the joint Army and Navy Board that Port Harbor in the Hawaiian Islands be made the great naval station in the Pacific was approved today by President Taft.

In doing this it was decided that a temporary naval station only would be constructed at Olongapo and that the proposed improvement of Manila harbor be abandoned. This will leave the Porto Rican and Philippine Islands to the army.

The determination to minimize the fortifications in the Philippine Islands and to make Port Harbor a great naval station was not, it was explained today, because of any intention to withdraw American control over the Philippines. It was done, it was said, purely for reasons of strategy.

For years a fierce controversy has been waged as to whether the principal fortifications in the Philippines should be located at Olongapo or Cavite. The naval officers favored Olongapo and the army Manila bay on the ground that Olongapo could not be protected from land attacks. The big floating drydock Dewy is now at Alongapo and under the present plan will be retained there. Such improvements as are made at this point, now estimated to cost between $200,000 and $300,000 will be with the idea of removing the Dewey to some other port in case of danger from attack.

## BASEBALL MATTERS

### Decided by National Association. Meets in Chicago Next.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 11.—The extension of the life of the National Association of Minor Leagues until September 6, 1921, and the selection of Chicago as the next meeting place were the principal features of the closing session of the annual meeting of the association here today. The National Board of Arbitration probably will remain here until Saturday.

A resolution that the National Association do all in its power to advance the welfare of the players was adopted.

A rule providing that players must be under contract before they can play a game with a club was also adopted. Formerly the time allowed a player to sign a contract varied from five to 15 days or games.

It was also decided to follow in the wake of the major leagues in the punishment of contract and reserve jumpers. The new rule provides a suspension of five years for breaking a contract and three years for violating a reserve.

## NEW HAVEN CONFERENCE

### On Prevention of Infant Mortality. Hadley Made Address.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 11.—The opening session of the conference on prevention of infant mortality here today was devoted to the reading of papers on the subject from a medical standpoint. The papers followed a greeting from Yale University, given by President Arthur T. Hadley and the opening of the conference by Dr W. Blair Stewart, of Atlantic City, vice president of the Academy of Medicine. Dr. J. H. Mason Knox of Johns Hopkins, presided.

The addresses and discussions at tonight's meeting of the conference treated of the prevention of infant mortality from the philantropic side. Dr. Edward T. Devine, of New York, chairman of the meeting that said that the object of the conference was not only to prevent babies from dying, but to keep them well and increase their strength.

## MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

### Federal Health Board and Rockefeller's Gift Are Endorsed.

New Orleans, Nov. 11.—The third annual convention of the Southern Medical Association adjourned today after electing Dr. W. W. Crawford of Hattiesburg president; selecting Nashville as the next place of meeting and adopting several resolutions.

A resolution was unanimously adopted endorsing President Taft's proposition that there should be established a Federal Health Department. The Association also went on record as strongly favoring the acceptance of Mr. Rockefeller's gift of $1,000,000 for a campaign against the hook-worm disease and instructed the councillors to prepare resolutions thanking the donor.

## SOUTH CAROLINIAN DEAD.

### W. Brown Wylie, of Yorkville, S. C., Prominent Mill Man.

Yorkville, S. C., Nov. 11.—Mr. W. Brown Wylie, a highly esteemed citizen of this place, was found dead in his bed this morning, having died during the night, probably from heart disease. He had been complaining for several days.

Mr. Wylie was born in this county 53 years ago, was graduated from Erskine College in 1879 and was clerk of the court from 1888 until 1904. He was an elder in the Associate Reformed church, was president of the Tavora Cotton Mill and was prominently connected with other business enterprises. He leaves a widow and one daughter.

## FOUGHT FATAL DUEL.

### Prominent Farmers Lined Up Street and Exchanged Shots.

Sandersville, Miss., Nov. 11.—In a shooting affray here this afternoon between F. P. Salter and R. S. Salter, brothers, on one side, and W. W. Myrick and his son, W. C. Myrick, on the other, all prominent farmers, the elder Myrich was killed. Bad feeling has existed between the two families for some time. The two Salters surrendered.

## CRIME OF HYPNOTIST.

### Perplexing Case for Legal Experts. May Release Everton.

Somerville, N. J., Nov. 11.—As a sequel of the autopsy performed last night on the body of Robert Simpson the hypnotic subject whom Arthur Everton, a hypnotist could not bring to consciousness after having placed him in a hypnotic state, there has arisen an interesting legal problem.

It was disclosed at the autopsy that Simpson's death was due to a rupture of the aorta. To just what measure of responsibility, if any, Everton will finally be held by the law is a question which is puzzling the legal experts.

The autopsy last night was delayed until a professional hypnotist had had an opportunity to make one last effort to restore animation in Simpson's body. There was not the slightest response and the examination following indicated to the physicians that death had resulted immediately after the collapse of the subject from the rigid state in which the hypnotist had placed him.

Everton, it was said by the authorities here today, would be held to await the action of the December grand jury and in the meantime would be admitted to bail.

It was said, however, that this procedure was incumbent upon the authorities in case of any death and it was not likely that any responsibility for Simpson's death would fall upon the hypnotist in view of the result of the autopsy last night. The coroner will not hold an inquest in the case.

## TUBERCULOSIS STUDY.

### Campaign to be Pushed in North Carolina This Year.

New York, Nov. 11.—From the headquarters of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, announcement is made that the campaign against tuberculosis to be pushed in North Carolina following the holidays will be helped along by a number of physicians and others who are members of the National Association. Among those who are thus interested are the following:

Dr. I. J. Archer, Cragmont and Royal League, and Dr. Clyde E. Cotton, The Pines, both of Black Mountain; Dr. Montgomery A. Briggs, Rutherfordton; Dr. J. L. Egerton and Dr. William Redin Kirck, Hendersonville; Dr. Earle Grady, Tryon; Dr. Richard H. Lewis, Raleigh; Dr. W. C. Mudgett, Southern Pines; Dr. S. Westray Battle, Dr. Henry Harison Briggs, Dr. W. G. Brownson, Dr. James A. Burroughs, Dr. Arthur W. Calloway, Dr. Thomas P. Cheeseboro, Dr. W. L. Dunn, Dr. J. Webster Horton, Dr. Charles C. Orr, Dr. Paul Paquin, Mrs. W. M. Perkins, Dr. Paul Ringer, Dr. Martin L. Stevens, Dr. Karl Von Ruck, Dr. Silvio Von Ruck, Dr. H. B. Wooner, all of Asheville.

## GEORGIA INVESTIGATION

### Dunnington Principal Witness Before Legislative Committee.

Milledgeville, Ga., Nov. 11.—A feature of the investigation of the Hospital for the Insane here was the appearance today before the legislative committee of R. E. Dunnington, a former inmate of the asylum, who several months ago escaped from a barricaded house in the suburbs of Augusta after shooting and wounding a constable. It was Dunnington who made the first written complaint against the treatment of the inmates of the institution, resulting in the investigation now in progress. His testimony was given today in an executive session of the committee.

The officer whom he shot in Augusta contradicted statements made by Dunnington as to the shooting. Dunnington's testimony concerning the recent assault which he made upon his employer in Atlanta, it is stated, was not satisfactory to the committee.

The cost of a Business Local is a small fee to pay for securing a good tenant.

## THE COMMERCIAL CONGRESS

### Several Phases of Southern Development Will be Presented.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 12.—The agricultural side of the Southern Commercial Congress, December 6th and 7th, will be particularly strong and interesting.

Hon. Willet M. Hays, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, will prepare a paper on "Neglected Agricultural Opportunities in the South." His will be followed by Mr. G. W. Koiner, just re-elected as Commissioner of Agriculture for Virginia after ten years service. Mr. Koiner will emphasize the same subject, bringing to bear on it the experience of a man directly in touch with rural problems and hindrances.

The man in the Forest service who knows Southern forest conditions best is R. S. Kellogg, Assistant Forester. He was for a long time Chief of the Office of Wood Utilization and has traveled Southern territory more continuously than any other man in the service. He will speak to the Congress on "Perpetuating the Timber Wealth of the South." Lumbermen will be particularly interested.

The question of opening up empty lands of the South to settlers will be outlined by Mr. Hugh MacRae, of Wilmington, N. C., who has made a number of successful efforts. His speech will be of great value to large landowners and real estate men; for he will explain in the frankest way his whole method. Mr. MacRae's heart is in the South, and its wise development. He comes of a family of engineers and railroad capitalists long prominent in the State of North Carolina.

The chairman of the session in which the above named gentlemen will speak will be Hon. Harvie Jordan, president of the Southern Cotton Association and for some years president of the National Farmer's Congress. Mr. Jordan is well known throughout the entire cotton belt. His enthusiasm has been aroused by the broad simple purposes of the South in Commercial Congress to make the South know itself and to make the South know.

## CHASE AFTER SHANGHAI.

### Run Down Chesapeake Bay Was Exciting.

Washington, Nov. 11.—A chase down Chesapeake Bay of a tiny craft with a supposed Shanghaied victim aboard by a revenue cutter followed a telephone appeal for helf from Baltimore today and the government vessel Apache is on her way to Baltimore tonight with the master of the pursued boat and the man rescued.

The first message came from the U. S. marshal's office at Baltimore to the Department of Justice and assistant Attorney General Harr immediately communicated with the Treasury officials. Commandant Ross, of the revenue cutter service ordered the Apache, Captain Moore, commanding, in pursuit. Captain Moore telegraphed later that he had arrested Capt. Gunning, of the ship Malinda Drummond and that the Apache was bound for Baltimore with the master of the ship and the shaughaied man and a witness aboard.

## INJURED IN A WRECK.

### Two Fatally and Eight Others Slightly—Coaches Turned Over.

Henryetta, Okla., Nov. 11.—Mrs. M. Vandiveer, wife of a physician at Dustin and her 4-year-old-son, were probably fatally injured and eight others passengers were hurt in a wreck of a northbound passenger train on the Missouri, Oklahoma and Gulf Railroad, five miles south of Henryetta this afternoon. The wreck was caused by the spreading of rails. Two coaches turned over and rolled down an embankment.

In reading store ads most people are looking for definite information about some particular article—hence merchants should quote prices always.

## SHOT HER HUSBAND.

### In Attempt to Kill His Divorced Wife —Arrested.

Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 11.—In an effort to kill her husband's divorced wife in whose company the man had been much of late, Mrs. Ann Coker tonight, on a residence street of Knoxville, shot and fatally wounded James Coker, her husband, whom she met in company of his first wife, divorced 15 years ago, and now Mrs. Sarah Reagan. Mrs. Coker, who had watched for them, aimed her pistol at the woman. Coker sought to disarm her and was shot in the groin. Mrs. Coker was arrested, protesting that she meant to kill Mrs. Reagan.

Mrs. Reagan had recently returned from her home in Cincinnati.

## PRECEDENT IN GEORGIA.

### Railroad Commission Ordered Reduction in Rates on Gas.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 11.—Establishing a precedent in the matter of the regulation of municipal utility corporations by a State board the Georgia Railroad Commission today ordered material reductions in the rates on gas and electricity in Columbus, Ga., supplied by the Gas Light Company, of Columbus.

### What Wearied Him.

A friend once asked an aged man what caused him to complain so often at eventide of pain and weariness. "Alas," replied he; "I have every day so much to do. I have two falcons to tame, two hares to keep from running away, two hawks to manage, a serpent to confine, a lion to chain and a sick man to tend and wait upon."

"Well, well," commented his friend, "you are busy indeed! But I didn't know that you had anything to do with a menagerie. How, then, do you make that out?"

"Why," continued the old man, "listen. Two falcons are my eyes, which I must guard diligently; the two hares are my feet, which I must keep from walking in the ways of sin; the two hawks are my hands, which I must train to work, that I may provide for myself and those dependent on me as well as for a needy friend occasionally; the serpent is my tongue, which I must keep ever bridled lest it speak unseemly; the lion is my heart, with which I have a continual fight lest evil things come out of it, and the sick man is my whole body, which is always needing my watchfulness and care. All this daily wears out my strength."

### Had the Effect.

"Yes," she said in answer to something he had said, "the old songs are very beautiful."

"Beautiful!" he exclaimed enthusiastically. "Beautiful hardly describes them. They are—they are—well, compared with them the songs of today are trash, the veriest trash."

"I agree with you, yet the old songs sometimes contain sentiments that one cannot wholly approve."

"I think you are mistaken."

"I will give you an illustration. There is John Howard Payne's 'Home, Sweet Home,' for instance. You surely do not agree with all the sentiments it contains?"

"Why not?" he asked warmly. "Why not?"

"Because," she said, glancing at the clock, which was marking the hour of 11—"because there is a line in that song which says 'There's no place like home.' You do not believe that, do you?"

Then he coughed a hollow cough and arose and went silently out into the night.

Instead of merely advising you to visit the stores, we advise you to read the ads. You will "do the rest."

## NEW PLANS FOR NAVY.

### Secretary Meyer Arranging Re-Organization of Yards and Bureaus.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Assured of Presidential approval of his general plans for the re-organization of the navy yards and the bureaus of the Navy Department, Secretary Meyer today began in earnest to work out the details of the plans. They will be made public in a few days. Until that time he will not discuss the proposed changes.

Approval of the re-organization, which is based upon the recommendations of the naval board, of which Rear Admiral Swift, of the Boston navy yard was chairman, was given by President Taft last night. Secretary Meyer yesterday met the President at Richmond, Va., and laid his proposed reforms before him. They discussed them on the way to Washington.

Secretary Meyer, of the Navy Department, today settled the controversy as to whether a line officer or a medical officer shall be placed in command of the hospital ship Solace by designating Surgeon George Pickrell, of the Medical Corps, to command the vessel.

The navigation of the ship will be in charge of a merchant sailing master. In reaching this decision Secretary Meyer adhered to the policy of the Roosevelt administration which stirred up much criticism from line officers.

## FIGHT AGAINST PELLAGRA.

### Patient Suffered Exhibition Before the Medical Association.

San Antonio, Texas, Nov. 11.—The feature of today's session of the annual convention of the Southwest Medical Association was the address of Dr. William Brumby, Texas State Health officer, who yesterday exhibited a patient suffering with pellagra. As preventative measures Dr. Brumby suggested the exercising of the greatest vigilance in using corn or corn products in order that mouldy or decaying cereal be not used. He also urged that an inspector be appointed, whose duties it shall be to see that millers do not utilize the "nubbins" or bad ears of corn and giving him plenary powers to seize and condemn any consignment of corn showing mouldiness.

## EIGHT FARMERS INDICTED.

### For Burning of Barn of Road Supervisor in Owen County, Ky.

Owenton, Ky., Nov. 11.—Eight indictments against prominent Owen county farmers for the burning of the barn of County Road Supervisor Nelson Cunningham were returned by the grand jury here today. All were released on $2,000 bonds.

Cunningham sent out recently notices to all men over 21 in his district to appear for work on the county roads, as is required by the State laws. Repeatedly warned that his barn would be burned if he attempted to enforce the law, he continued sending the notices. His correspondents made good; the barn was burned a few nights ago; and the next day almost every man in the county appeared for work. The wrathful supervisor then went before the grand jury.

## EXPLOSION KILLS THREE.

### Dupont Powder Mills at Wilmington Exploded—Injured.

Wilmington, Del., Nov. 11.—With a deafening report and a shock which caused the whole city and much of the surrounding country to tremble, a press mill and a grinding mill at the powder works of the Dupont Company, west of Wilmington, exploded today, killing three workmen and injuring seven others. Besides wrecking both of the mills in which the explosion occurred and other small buildings belonging to the company, several dwellings in the neighborhood were badly damaged.




The Swine or the Flower?

Oh me! I saw a huge and loathsome sty,
Wherein a drove of wallowing swine were barred,
Whose banquet shocked the nostril and the eye;
Then spoke a voice, "Behold the source of LARD!"

I fled, and saw a field that seemed at first
One glistening mass of roses pure and white,
With dewy buds 'mid dark green foliage nursed;
And as I lingered o'er the lovely sight,
The summer breeze that cooled that Southern scene,
Whispered, "Behold the source of COTTOLENE!"

"Nature's Gift from the Sunny South"

COTTOLENE is a pure and wholesome frying and shortening medium, made from refined cottonseed oil. There is not an ounce of hog fat in it to make food unwholesome, greasy and indigestible.

As evidence of its superiority, COTTOLENE received Grand Prize (highest possible award) at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition; and Gold Medals (also representing highest awards in each case) at the Charleston Exposition, the Paris Exposition, and the Chicago World's Fair. In fact, in every case where COTTOLENE has been exhibited in competition with other cooking fats, it has invariably been granted the highest award.

Made only by THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, Chicago.

# MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

### WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 11.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market steady 53 cents.

ROSIN—market, steady $3.50 per barrel.

TAR—Firm $1.90 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm. $2.50 per barrel for hard; $4.00 for dip and $4.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.30; tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $1.50; $2.00 and $2.75.

### RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine .....56
Rosin .....193
Tar .....214
Crude turpentine ..... 17

Receipts, same day last year, 5 casks spirits turpentine; 98 barrels rosin; 99 barrels tar; 42 barrels crude turpentine.

### COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady 14 1-4 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Quiet, 8 3-4 cents.

Receipts—2,033 bales, same day last year 5,006 bales.

### PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith Nov. 6th.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 65@70; extra prime, 72 1-2; fanc 75 @80c; Virginia, prime 65@70; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish $1.00 to $1.05.

CORN—Firm 90 to 95c per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 17@18c; shoulders 14@15c; sides 14 @15c.

EGGS—Dull, 27 to 28c. per dozen.

CHICKENS—Spring 20 to 30c grown 35 to 42 1-2c; scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm at 28c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 14c; green, 9c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Dull 40 @ 50c per bushel for new yams.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 50c per bushel for new yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c., free of burr 24c.

GEESE—50 cents per head.

PORK—Small 10c per lb.; large, no demand.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@ $3.00.

TURKEYS—12 1-2 to 13c.

### THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11.—The cotton market was less active today with sentiment much unsettled and fluctuations very irregular in response to comparatively small orders either way. The close was barely steady at a net decline of 10 to 20 points.

The market opened steady at an advance of 1 point on March but generally unchanged to 11 points lower with the active months selling 3 to 8 points lower as a result of disappointing cables, liquidation and local bear pressure.

A lot of buying orders reached the ring at the initial decline, owing to the strength of the southern spot situation as reflected by yesterday's late reports and inside of the first half hour, the market had rallied to a net advance of 7 to 10 points. The western belt forecast for frost suggested that talk of a Texas top crop might soon be ended and this helped to sustain the market during the morning. But bull leaders appeared to be giving prices no support of consequence, local professionals were consequently inclined to take the short side for a turn. Liverpool was a seller here, and there was a gradual sagging off to a net loss of about 9 to 10 points during the early afternoon. The appearance of Wall street buying orders around this level started covering by early sellers and there was a sharp rally to a net gain of 6 to 8 points, but as soon as the Wall street orders had been executed the market turned easy again under renewed liquidation and local selling with prices in the late trading at a net loss of 10 to 17 points on active months. The close was at practically the lowest. Southern spot markets officially reported early were unchanged to 1-2c higher but some claim that spinners are withdrawing from the market and that the spot situation is at practically a deadlock.

Receipts at the ports today were 46,107 bales against 60,988 last week and 73,826 last year. For the week 375,000 bales against 405,482 last week and 484,052 against 18,248 last year and at Houston 10,668 bales against 23,650 last year.

Spot closed quiet 15 points lower. Middling uplands 14.95; middling gulf 15.20; no sales.

Futures opened steady and closed barely steady.

| Month. | Open. | Close. |
|---|---|---|
| November | —— | 14.33 |
| December | 14.50 | 14.50 |
| January | 14.71 | 14.65 |
| February | —— | 14.72 |
| March | 14.90 | 14.85 |
| April | —— | 14.85 |
| May | 15.04 | 14.95 |
| June | —— | 14.92 |
| July | 15.06 | 14.90 |
| August | 14.43 | 14.30 |
| September b | 13.10 | 13.03 |
| October | 12.55 | 12.55 |

### PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 14 7-16; net receipts 19,161; stock 246,429.

New Orleans—Steady, 14 1-2; net receipts 8,521; stock 200,946.

Mobile—Easy, 14 1-2; net receipts 1,044; stock 39,945.

Savannah—Quiet, 14 7-16; net receipts 7,545; stock 231,068.

Charleston—Firm, 14 3-8; net receipts 651; stock 42,817.

Wilmington—Quiet, 14 1-4; net receipts 2,033; stock 19,245.

Norfolk—Steady, 14 1-2; net receipts 5,272; stock 41,816.

Baltimore—Nominal, 14, 3-4; stock 9,481.

New York—Quiet, 14.95; stock 111,549.

Boston—Quiet, 14.95.

Philadelphia—Steady, 15.20; stock 4,336.

San Francisco—Net receipts 400.

Port Townsend—Net receipts 1,480.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 46,107; Great Britain 3,889; Continent 9,284; Japan 1,880; stock 957,340.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 302,766; Great Britain 103,823; France 25,169; Continent 45,553; Japan 1,980.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 3,516,713; Great Britain 927,097; France 455,265; Continent 959,450; Japan 11,944; Mexico 5,855.

### INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 14 5-16; net receipts 10,668; stock 99,327.

Augusta—Steady, 14 9 -16; net receipts 1,498; stock 59,175.

Memphis—Steady, 15; net receipts 5,495; stock 166,201.

St. Louis—Steady, 15; net receipts 1,461; stock 26,091.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 1,661; stock 9,213.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14 1-4; net receipts 1,296; stock 43,408.

Louisville—Firm, 15 1-8.

Total today—Net receipts 22,059; gross receipts 28,558; shipments 22,031; sales 3,750; stock 404,305.

### DICK BROS' COTTON LETTER.

New York, Nov. 11.—Today's market has been irregular. The close last night was barely steady and the feeling in the bull camp appeared to be less confident. The disappointing Liverpool cables lent color to this theory, but it is possible that bearish advices were cabled from this side, which influenced the action of the English market. There was no sign of weakness this morning, however, and while the market opened at a decline it was advanced rapidly by bull leaders until it reached a level only a few points below the high of yesterday. Realizing was heavy on the bulge, and the latter trading induced a good many to believe that the market had gotten into a rather tired condition and would require constant support from bull leaders, at the same time it was apparent that this support was forthcoming, especially on declines, there was no particular feature to the news. Private advices reported firm spot markets in the interior and the principal southern markets were steady, although they have not scored the recovery that has been experienced by futures. There was no other feature of importance.

DICK BROTHERS.

### THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool, Nov. 11.—Spot in limited demand, prices unchanged. American middling fair 8.13; good middling 7.89; middling 7.77; low middling 7.67; good ordinary 7.41; ordinary 7.16.

The sales of the day were 5,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 3,400 American.

Receipts 44,000 bales including 43,700 American. Futures opened easier and closed quiet.

November 757 1-2; November and December 7.57 1-2; December and January 7.58 1-2; January and February 7.59 1-2; February and March 7.62; March and April 7.64 1-2; April and May 7.66; May and June 7.67 1-2; June and July 7.66; July and August 7.64; August and September 7.28; September and October 6.81; October and November 6.67 1-2; November and December 6.61 1-2.

### THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11.—The dry goods primary markets were rather quiet during the day. Cotton goods hold firm with sellers disinclined to trade on contracts and buyers uneasy about future prices. Cotton yarns are firm with a fair trade doing on weaving yarns. Raw silk is lower and in light demand. Jobbers are doing a fair trade, many small orders mounting into fair totals.

### STOCK MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11.—The money position was the dominant influence on the stock speculation again and the topic of principal interest. The retention of the 5 per cent. Bank of England rate was accepted with satisfaction but the feeling of certainty yesterday that this course would be followed had allowed action to anticipate it. The influence on prices of stocks, therefore was short lived.

The special heaviness of Union Pacific in the day's market was partly due to disappointment over retention of the present dividend rate in the Southern Pacific distribution.

The two Hill stocks were under spetion pressure as well, with the suggestion whether a settlement of a larger rate was involved in the movement.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, were $3,878,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Total sales of stocks for the day were 517,100 shares.

### FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11.—Money on call strong, 3 1-4 to 5 1-4 per cent., ruling rate 5, closing bid 3 1-4, offered at 3 1-2. Time loans strong; sixty days 5 1-4 per cent., and ninety days 5 per cent. Six months 4 3-4 to 5 per cent. close: Prime mercantile paper 5 to 5 1-2 per cent.; sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.83 to 4.832o for sixty day bills and at 4.8720 for demand. Commercial bills 4.82 1-4 to 4.82 7-8. Bar silver 50 3-4. Mexican dollars 43.

### NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. ref 2s reg .....100
U. S. ref 2s cou .....100
U. S. 3s reg .....101 1-4
U. S. 3s cou .....101 1-4
U. S. 4s reg .....115 3-4
U. S. 4s cou .....116 3-4
Allis-Chalmers 1st 5s ..... 84 1-4
Amer Agricultural 5s .....102 1-8
American Tel. & Tel. cv 4s ....104 5-8
American Tobacco 4s ..... 80 1-4
American Tobacco 6s .....109 1-2
Atchison gen. 4s ..... 93 3-4
Atchison S. L. 1st 4s .....100

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| Atchison cv 4s | 119 1-2 |
| Atchison cv 5s | 119 |
| A. C. L. 1st 4s | 95 1-2 |
| Baltimore & Ohio 4s | 99 1-4 |
| Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s b | 93 |
| Baltimore & O. S. W. 3 1-2s | 89 5-8 |
| Brooklyn Transit cv 4s | 84 |
| Canada Southern 1st 6s | 108 5-8 |
| Central of Georgia 5s | 99 1-8 |
| Central Leather 5s | 125 1-4 |
| Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s | 102 5-8 |
| Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s | 104 |
| Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s | 74 |
| C., B. & Q. joint 4s | 95 3-4 |
| C., Mil & St. P. gen 3 1-2s | 99 1-4 |
| C., R. I. — P. R. R. col 4s | 88 1-2 |
| C., R. I. & P. R. R. col. 5s | 76 3-4 |
| C., R. I. & P. Ry. rfg 4s | 91 7-8 |
| C. C. C. & St. L. gen 4s | 90 1-4 |
| Colorado Industrial 5s | 82 5-8 |
| Colorado Midland 4s | 80 1-2 |
| C. & S. ref & ext 4 1-2s | 97 3-4 |
| D. & H. cv 4s | 101 1-2 |
| D. & H. 1st ref 4s | 96 1-2 |
| Denver & Rio Grande 4s | 93 3-4 |
| Distillers 5s | 74 5-8 |
| Erie prior lien 4s | 84 1-2 |
| Erie Gen. 4s | 75 1-2 |
| Erie cv. 4s series "A" | 79 |
| Erie cv 4s series "B" | 69 3-4 |
| General Electric cv 5s | 149 1-4 |
| Illinois Central 1st ref 4s | 99 1-2 |
| Interborough Met. 4 1-2s | 83 |
| Inter. Merc. Marine 4 1-2s | 71 |
| Japan 4s | 86 7-8 |
| Japan 4 1-2s | 93 3-4 |
| Japan 4 1-2s, 2nd series | 73 1-2 |
| Kan. City Southern 1st 3s | 94 1-2 |
| Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931) | 99 1-4 |
| L. & Nash. Un. 4s | 99 |
| Mo. Kan & Texas 1st 4s | 89 7-8 |
| Mo., Kan. & Tex. 1st & ref 4s | 81 |
| Mo., Kan & Tex. gen. 4 1-2s | 93 7-8 |
| Missouri Pacific 4s | 91 |
| N. Y. Central gen. 3 1-2s | 94 3-4 |
| N. Y. Central deb 4s | 135 |
| N. Y. City 4 1-2s (new) | 98 1-2 |
| N. Y., N. H. & H. cv 6s | 100 |
| N. & W. 1st con. 4s | 102 1-4 |
| Norfolk & Western cv 4s | 72 |
| Northern Pacific 4s | 93 1-2 |
| Northern Pacific 3s | 85 1-2 |
| O. S. Line rfdg 4s | 104 1-8 |
| Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915) | 99 3-8 |
| Penn. Con. 4s | 84 |
| Reading Gen. 4s | 89 1-2 |
| St. L. & San Fran fg 4s | 77 1-2 |
| St. L. S. con 4s | 92 |
| St. Louis S. 1st gold 4s | 88 |
| Seaboard Air Line 4s | 91 5-8 |
| Southern Pacific col 4s | 102 1-8 |
| S. P. R. R. 1st ref 4s | 94 5-8 |
| Southern Railway 5s | 108 |
| Southern Railway gen. 4s | 80 1-2 |
| Union Pacific 4s | 102 5-8 |
| Union Pacific cv 4s | 113 7-8 |
| U. P. 1st & ref 4s | 97 1-4 |
| U. S. Rubber 6s | 104 1-2 |
| U. S. Steel 2nd 5s | 105 |
| Virginia Car. Chemical 5s | 97 |
| Wabash 1st 5s | 112 |
| Wabash 1st and ext. 4s | 73 1-2 |
| Western Md., 4s | 83 3-4 |
| Westinghouse Electric cv 5s | 94 1-2 |
| Wisconsin Central 4s | 95 |

### Closing Stock List.

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| Allis Chalmers pfd | 53 1-2 |
| Amalgamated Copper | 89 1-8 |
| American Agricultural | 47 1-2 |
| American Beet Sugar | 47 |
| American Can pfd | 84 7-8 |
| American Car & Foundry | 74 1-4 |
| American Cotton Oil | 73 1-4 |
| Amer. Ice & L. pfd | 47 |
| American Ice Securities | 24 1-2 |
| American Linseed | 15 1-4 |
| American Locomotive | 61 1-2 |
| American S. & Ref'ng | 98 1-8 |
| Am r. S. & Ref'ng pfd | 111 1-2 |
| American Sugar Refining | 130 3-4 |
| American Tel. & Tel. | 140 3-4 |
| American Tobacco, pfd | 100 |
| American Woolen | 34 1-4 |
| Anaconda Mining Co. | 49 |
| Atchison | 119 1-4 |
| Atchison pfd | 104 7-8 |
| Atlantic Coast Line | 136 |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 115 1-2 |
| Baltimore & Ohio pfd | 90 |
| Bethlehem Steel | 34 3-4 |
| Brooklyn Rapid Transit | 74 3-4 |
| Canadian Pacific | 183 7-8 |
| Central Leather | 46 3-4 |
| Central Leather pfd | 108 1-4 |
| Central of New Jersey | 295 |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 87 3-8 |
| Chicago & Alton | 67 1-8 |
| Chicago Great Western | 20 3-8 |
| Chicago & Northwestern | 186 1-8 |
| Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul | 156 |
| C., C. C. & St. Louis | 77 1-2 |
| Colorado Fuel & Iron | 48 |
| Colorado & Southern | 55 1-2 |
| Colorado & Southern 1st pfd | 80 |
| Colorado & Southern 2nd pfd | 79 3-4 |
| Consolidated Gas | 143 1-4 |
| Corn Products | 21 3-4 |
| Delaware & Hudson | 183 1-2 |
| Denver & Rio Grande | 46 3-8 |
| Denver & Rio Grande pfd | 82 1-2 |
| Distillers' Securities | 36 1-2 |
| Erie | 32 1-8 |
| Erie 1st pfd | 46 1-2 |
| Erie 2nd pfd | 39 |
| General Electric | 162 |
| Great Northern pfd | 141 3-4 |
| Great Northern Ore Ctfs | 81 1-4 |
| Illinois Central | 145 1-4 |
| Interborough Met | 22 |
| Interborough Met pfd | 51 3-4 |
| Inter Harvester | 106 3-4 |
| Inter-Marine pfd | 24 |
| International Paper | 14 1-2 |
| International Pump | 53 1-2 |
| Iowa Central | 29 |
| Kan City Southern | 43 |
| Kan. City Southern pfd | 70 |
| Louisville & Nasaville | 151 1-2 |
| Minneapolis & St. Louis | 52 |
| Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M | 135 |
| Missouri Pacific | 69 5-8 |
| Mo. Kan. & Texas | 46 3-4 |
| Mo., Kan. & Tex. pfd | 74 |
| National Biscuit | 114 |
| National Lead | 87 1-8 |
| Nat'l Rys. of Mex. 1st pfd | 55 1-4 |
| New York Central | 131 1-2 |
| N. Y., Ont & West | 46 3-8 |
| Norfolk & Western | 95 |
| North American | 79 |
| Northern Pacific | 144 1-2 |
| Pacific Mail | 43 |
| Pennsylvania | 140 1-8 |
| People's Gas | 113 1-2 |
| Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis | 94 1-4 |
| Press Steel Car | 51 1-4 |
| Pullman Palace Car | 192 |
| Railway Steel Spring | 49 1-8 |
| Reading | 161 1-8 |
| Republic Steel | 47 1-4 |
| Republic Steel pfd | 105 |
| Rock Island Co. | 40 |
| Rock Island Co. pfd | 80 1-2 |
| St. Louis & San. Fran 2nd pfd | 57 |
| St. Louis Southwestern | 30 |
| St. Louis Southwestern pfd | 68 |
| Sloss S. S. & Iron | 90 |
| Southern Pacific | 128 5-8 |
| Southern Railway | 30 3-8 |
| Southern Railway pfd | 69 1-4 |
| Tennessee Copper | 35 1-2 |
| Texas & Pacific | 34 5-8 |
| Toledo, St. L. & West | 33 1-2 |
| Toledo, St. L. & West pfd | 69 |
| Union Pacific | 200 3-8 |
| Union Pacific pfd | 102 5-8 |
| United States Realty | 82 |
| United States Rubber | 49 |
| United States Steel | 89 3-8 |
| United States Steel pfd | 126 |
| Utah Copper | 52 |

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| Virginia Car. Chemical | 48 3-4 |
| Wabash | 19 1-2 |
| Wabash pfd | 50 3-4 |
| Western Maryland | 33 3-4 |
| Westinghouse Electric | 84 1-2 |
| Western Union | 76 1-2 |
| Wheeling & Lake Erie | 8 1-2 |
| Wisconsin Central | 50 1-4 |
| Standard Oil Co. | 705 |

### NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11.—Flour dull but firm.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Buckwheat Flour—Dull.

Corn Meal—Quiet.

Rye—Quiet.

Wheat—Spot strong; No. 2 red 1.27 asked; domestic elevator; No. 2 red 1.26 nominal, spot fob afloat. Options net advance of 1 3-8 to 1 1-2; December 1.13 3-8; May 1.11 1-4.

Corn—Spot firm; No. 2, 72 elevator; domestic 72 1-2 delivered and 72 fob afloat. No. 2 yellow 72 all nominal. Options 1-2 to 5-8c net advance. December 70 1-8; May 68 5-8.

Oats—Steady; mixed 26 to 32 pounds nominal.

Lard—Firm.

Pork—Firm.

Tallow—Quiet.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Firm.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3.95; refined steady; confectioners A. 5.05.

Cotton Seed Oil speculative selling in the late positions resulted in an easier feeling in the cotton oil market especially as the demand was firm at 2 points advance but futures closed at 1 to 11 points lower with sales of 8,600. November 6.74 to 6.77; January 6.86 to 6.87; March 7.00 to 7.01; May 7.05 to 7.07. Prime crude 5.87; prime summer yellow 6.71 to 6.90; prime winter yellow 7.25 to 7.49; prime summer white 6.90 to 7.49.

Potatoes—Easy; state and western per barrel 1.40 to 1.75.

Cabbages—Firm; State, Danish seed per ton 11.00 to 13.00.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Coffee—Quiet; Rio No. 7, 8 1-4 to 8-3-8 nominal; Santos No. 4, 8 3-4; mild quiet; Cordova 9 to 11 1-2. Futures steady, unchanged to 5 points lower.

Butter—Steady, unchanged.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged.

Eggs—Easy; Pennsylvania and nearby hennery, white, fancy 48 to 55; do gathered white 35 to 40; do hennery brown 38 to 40; gathered brown 30 to 36; refrigerator special marks fancy 25; first 23 to 24; seconds 21 to 22.

### THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Fresh confirmation of damage to the Argentine crop of wheat by locusts, created considerable excitement in the wheat pit here today and resulted in sharp advances in all deliveries. At the close prices were up 1 to 1 3-8 compared with yesterday's final figures. Coarse grain and provisions also closed strong.

| | Opening. | Highest. | Closing. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat— | | | |
| Dec. | 1 04 5-8 | 1 05 1-2 | 1 05 1-4 |
| May | 1 03 1-4 | 1 04 1-2 | 1 04 1-4 |
| July | 96 3-4 | 97 1-4 | 97 1-8 |
| Corn— | | | |
| Dec. | 58 3-4 | 59 3-8 | 59 1-4 |
| May | 60 1-4 | 60 7-8 | 60 5-8 |
| July | 60 | 60 1-8 | 60 1-8 |
| Oats— | | | |
| Dec. | 39 7-8 | 39 3-8 | 39 1-4 |
| May | 41 1-2 | 41 3-4 | 41 3-4 |
| July | 39 1-4 | 39 1-2 | 39 1-2 |
| Mess Pork, per bbl.— | | | |
| Jan. | 20 77 1-2 | 21 25 | 21 15 |
| May | 19 87 1-2 | 20 12 1-2 | 20 12 1-2 |
| Lard, per 100 lbs.— | | | |
| Nov. | 12 75 | 12 80 | 12 80 |
| Jan. | 11 75 | 11 85 | 11 85 |
| May | 11 25 | 11 40 | 11 40 |
| Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.— | | | |
| Jan. | 10 37 1-2 | 10 57 1-2 | 10 57 1-2 |
| May | 10 30 | 10 42 1-2 | 10 42 1-2 |

### NAVAL STORES.

New York, Nov. 11.—Turpentine easy 58; rosin steady.

Charleston, S. C., Nov. 11.—Turpentine quiet 54. Rosin quiet. Quote: A. B. C. D. E. F. 3.95; G, 3.97 1-2 to 4.02 1-2; H, 4.07 to 4.10; I, 4.50; K, 5.30; M, 5.85; N, 6.10; WG, 6.40; WW, 6.80.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 11.—Turpentine firm 54 1-2; sales 931; receipts 863; shipments 105.

Rosin firm; sales 2,935; receipts 2,269; shipments 1,421; stock 139,937. Quote: A. B. C. 3,95; D, 3.95; E, 3.97 1-2; F, 3.97 1-2; G, 4.00; H, 4.07 1-2 to 4.10; I, 4.50; K, 5.50; M, 5.85; N, 6.10; WG, 6.40; WW, 6.80.

## MARINE

### ARRIVED.

Schr. Edward R. Baird, 288 tons, Bennett, Carteret, N. J., C. D. Maffitt.

### CLEARED.

Schr. Geo. F. Phillips, Gaskins, New York, C. D. Maffitt.

Schr. Annie F. Kimball, Southard, Baltimore, C. D. Maffitt.

Str. C. W. Lyons, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

### Exports—Coastwise.

New York—Schr. Geo. F. Phillips, cargo of fish oil by Ocean Fisheries; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

Baltimore—Schr. Annie F. Kimball, 349,670 feet of lumber, cargo by Angola Lumber Company; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

### BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 11, 1909.

C. C. Railroad—726 bales cotton.

W. & W. Railroad—723 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 1 barrel crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—84 bales cotton, 13 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—500 bales cotton, 26 casks spirits turpentine, 85 barrels rosin, 188 barrels tar, 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—12 barrels rosin.

Str. Black River—26 barrels tar.

Str. Lisbon—8 casks spirits turpentine, 96 barrels rosin.

Total—2,033 bales cotton, 56 casks spirits turpentine, 193 barrels rosin, 214 barrels tar, 17 barrels crude turpentine.

### MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Penniue Rauge, (Br.) 2,215 tons, Blance, Heide & Co.

Hohenfelde (Gr.) 1,887 tons, Protch r, Heide & Co.

Taberistan (Br.) 1,826 tons, Patton, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Soutra (Br.) Davies, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Holland (Br.) 2,438 tons, Chandler, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Edward R. Baird, 288 tons, Bennett, C. D. Maffitt.

Calhoun E. Ross, 375 tons, Coulburn, C. D. Maffitt.

R. T. Rundlett, 219 tons, Cunningham, C. D. Maffitt.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS
POZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

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From a physician's standpoint, there is only one correct method of heating, and that is by the indirect hot air furnace method, properly installed and with a provision for producing the proper degree of relative humidity.

After careful study and trial and observation, I am compelled to condemn all direct methods of heating by radiators located in the rooms.

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NOTICE.

Having this day qualified as Administratrix with the will annexed of Mrs. M. A. Fowler, deceased, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the estate of said deceased to present the same duly verified to the undersigned on or before the 21st day of October, 1910, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

This October 21, 1909.

MRS. S. E. JOHNSON,
Administrator c. t. a. of Mrs. M. A. Fowler, deceased.
oc 22 fr 4w*

The "Baby-Waker" Sale

is still going. Large crowds and liberal buying are the features. The low prices published in the large advertisements are still holding good.

New arrivals of rugs, pictures, imported dinner sets, tables, hampers, clothes baskets and several other articles have been added this week. Positively no such values ever seen in Wilmington. Call and inspect them if you wish to buy or not. We are pleased to show goods and invite comparison. This sale, as all our sales, is bona fide. No bluff, no hot air. Unequaled values our motto.

The Wilmington Furniture Co.
Wilmington, N. C.

Buck's Hot Blast
Self Feeding Heating Stoves
They Are the Best

We have just received a solid car of these goods and they are now ready for your personal inspection. Also fine line of wood Heating Stoves and Grates.

Call and let us show them to you.

Wm. E. Springer & Co.
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Electroliers Chandeliers
Just Arrived

I have just received the largest line and greatest variety of fine Chandeliers, Electroliers, Gas and Electric Portables that was ever shown in Wilmington. I have both the goods and prices to suit anyone's pocket book. Special line of Art Glass Domes for dining room and library. A full and complete line of Electrical Supplies. No trouble to find what you want with prices to suit. Call early before they have been picked over. House wiring a specialty.

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The largest stock of cypress shingles carried in the State. We always have over a million in stock.

We make 13 different grades and sizes, varying from $2.00 to $10.00 per M. Our shingles are recognized in the Northern Markets, as well as in the West Indies, as the very highest standard, both in grade and manufacture. "We have a standing guarantee that " we give (2) good ones for (1) bad one."

Don't buy any shingles that do not have W. W. Koch in large type on every bundle.

We do not dip the ends of our shingles in red ocre to hide windshakes and other defects. Don't buy until you get our prices and compare the shingles. We make and dispose of 20,000 shingles per day.

We furnish all the shingles for the government at Fort Caswell, ours being the only shingles tat stand government inspection.

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| Capital | $ 200,000.00 |
| Surplus and Profits | 145,000.00 |
| Total Assets | 2,225.000.00 |

MATT J. HEYER, President, CHAS. N. EVANS, Cashier.

## THE WEATHER

**U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.**

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 12, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Thursday, Nov. 11th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 54 degrees; 8 P. M. 62 degrees; maximum 70 degrees; minimum 54 degrees; mean — degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .06; for the month, .36 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Wednesday 3 1-2 feet.

**Weather Forecast.**

For North Carolina—Fair Friday; warmer in interior Saturday fair, light to moderate winds mostly northeast.

**Port Calendar—Nov. 12.**

Sun Rises.....6:42 A. M.
Sun Sets.....5:10 P. M.
Day's Length.....10 hrs. 31 min.
High water at Southport 7:25 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 10:25 P. M.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Crystal Palace—Today.
J. W. Little, Admr.—Notice.
Jacobi Hdw. Co.—Thanksgiving.
C. H. Fore & Co.—Trained Corsetiere.
Geo. H. Howell, Referee—In Bankruptcy.

**Business Locals.**

For Sale—White Pekin Ducks.
W. W. Peterson—Milk Cow Wanted.

### CABLE LINES OUT OF USE

**Caused by Unusual Disturbance Believed to be Earthquake.**

New York, Nov. 11.—It is apparent from the reports received today by the cable companies with connections in the West Indies that all the submarine lines throughout the islands, from Kingston on the west to Trinidad on the East, have been rendered inoperative by some agency which up to the present time it has been impossible to determine

The circumstance indicate an earthquake on the floor of the ocean, but to affect the cable lines throughout the breadth of the Indies such a disturbance would have to be remarkable for its extent and severity No serious earthquake has been reported from any seimograph station, nor have the meagre reports from the points on the island of Jamaica where the cables touch indicated an earthquake on that island.

It is possble that some electrical disturbance similar to that of the aurora borealis will finally account for the trouble.

Jamaica has been visited by a severe storm, with accompanying floods and this is all that can be learned of the situaton on that island.

A meagre cablegram from Holland Bay, Jamaica, today reports that a heavy rain, high winds and enormous seas still prevail there. The telegraph lines from Holland Bay to Kingston and other interior points are still down, it is reported and floods prevent communication by any means with Kingston from any of the points where the cables land. No mention was made of any earthquake on the island in any of the reports from there.

The Royal Mail steamer Atrato which left Kingston Saturday morning arrived here today and reports that no unusual weather conditions prevailed when she left Kingston. The Atrato, however, encountered very rough weather soon after leaving Jamaica.

Cape Haitien, Nov. 11.—Haiti, like the other islands in the Caribbean, has suffered greatly from the recent storm. No word has been received here from the Island of Jamaica but a steamer is expected soon.

There have been continuous rains and extremely high seas here. For 17 days communication with the capital and the exterior has been seriously interrupted and it is estimated that nearly 24 inches of rain has fallen up to today As a consequence the floods are serious, but the extent of the devastation by the storm is not known. There is much suffering on account of lack of provisions and the inhabitants are in a wretched condition.

### SUPERINTENDENTS MEET.

**Great Gathering of Educators at Greenville, N. C. Today.**

(Special Star Telegram.)

Greenville, N. C., Nov. 11.—The county superintendents of the North Eastern district are in session here tonight. The speakers were J. A. Bivins, L. C. Brogdon, M. C. S. Noble and a number of others. There will be other meetings tomorrow, Robert H. Wright will tomorrow be inaugurated president of the East Carolina Teachers' Training School. There were addresses of welcome by Mayor Whedbee and Col. F. G. Jones. Others taking part in the programme will be W. H. Ragsdale, J. Y. Joyner, and Governor Kitchin. A great crowd is expected and already prominent educators have arrived for the occasion. It will be a glad day for Greenville. The town is decorated in the school colors, royal blue and old gold, and banners on the streets bid the visitors welcome.

DIFFERENT people like different varieties of candy. But people of good sense all agree on quality—the very best—NUNNALLY'S. There could be none made of purer materials; there are none better. A variety to please every taste, and a price to suit every purse.

*Nunnally's*

A fresh supply always kept by
J. HICKS BUNTING DRUG CO.
*"None Like Nunnally's."*

## SEEKS TO INDICT OFFICIAL

**Government Expected to Take Action in Connection With Sugar Frauds Result of Recent Trials. Loss by Frauds.**

New York, Nov. 11.—Evidence which is confidently expected to reveal the "man higher up" in the sugar weighing frauds unearthed during the term of Henry L. Stimson, as United States District Attorney for the Southern District of New York, has been placed in possession of the government, it was authoritatively stated today, and is being used as a basis for a Federal indictment soon to be filed against one of the officials of the American Sugar Refining Co.

Since surrendering the duties of United States District Attorney, Mr. Stimson, acting as a special United States Attorney General, has had in hand the work of building up the government's case against the Custom House weighers and the employes of the American Sugar Refining Co., who are charged with having conspired together to defraud the United States of $2,000,000 of sugar duties. The inquiry is now approaching a climax.

Mr. Stimson himself refused to discuss the nature of the new evidence, but it is learned that the evidence furnished by one of the implicated government weighers was regarded as conclusive enough to make practically certain the indicement of a high official of the American Sugar Refining Company.

Wiliam M. Thomas, president of the American Sugar Refining Co., speaking of the government investigation said today:

"Our company is just as anxious as the government to bring out the facts in the sugar frauds. We are doing everything in our power to aid Mr. Stimson in his investigation."

Resignations of James F. Rendernagel, the superintendent of the Williamsburg plant, and several other department heads in the plants were accepted today, it is said, and other changes are contemplated in the house cleaning that the company has started.

Henry L. Stimson, special counsel for the government in the sugar fraud cases, tonight denied a statement published here today that the true losses to the Federal treasury by short weighing of imported raw sugar would total $30,000,000.

Mr. Stimson, in his denial says: "The reports that the records show a loss of $30,000,000 to the government from the weighing frauds at the American Sugar Refining Co., docks, are not true, nor is there the slightest basis for believing that there was any such loss. If there had been the settlement for $2,136,000 never would have been made.

"The customs records were carefully examined under my direction before that settlement was made, and I believe that the payment made was complete restitution to the government of the amount of its loss."

### THE CARNEGIE FOUNDATION.

**Warm Fight in Virginia Methodist Conference at Newport News.**

Newport, News, Va., Nov. 11.—In spite of a various resistance on the part of trustees and other prominent laymen, the Virginia Methodist Conference tonight adopted by an overwhelming vote the report of the committee appointed to confer with the trustees of Randolph Macon College in regard to the Carnegie foundation controversy. The report, in effect, asserts the authority of the conference over the college and provide that if the trustees amend or rescind the resolution adopted in June, recognizing the right of the conference to approve new members of the board, such funds as may hereafter be contributed by the Conference to the support of the college shall be withdrawn. The report further calls upon the trustees to immediately take steps toward amending their charter in conformity with the June resolution.

This matter occupied the attention of the conference today from morning to night, and about a score of speeches were made.

Leading ministers, headed by Dr. James Cannon, Jr., made the fight for the report, one of them declaring that this controversy involved the question of whether Caesar or Chrisa should rule.

### JUDGE KOHLSATT REPLIES.

**Denies That He Said He Would Allow More Fees From Carter Fund.**

Chicago, Nov. 11.—In an answer to the order of the United States Supreme Court, issued October 19th last, instructing him to allow no more attorney's fees in the case of Captain Oberlin M. Carter, convicted of misappropriating funds in the construction of the harbor at Savannah, Ga., Judge Christian C. Kohlsaat, of the United States Circuit Court, denies that he ever said he would allow more fees and says that a ruling upon the question of jurisdiction by the Supreme Court is desirable.

Judge Kohlsaat's reply to the government's petition for a writ of prohibition enjoining him from making any further distribution of the Carter fund was forwarded to the Supreme Court last Tuesday and was made public here tonight.

The fee case of Captain Carter is now pending in the Supreme Court of the United States on appeal from the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. Attorneys for Carter made application for more fees last month to cover liabilities accrued by the appeal to the Supreme Court.

**Forced Into Exile.**

Wm. Upchurch, of Glen Oak, Okla., was an exile from home. Mountain air, he thought, would cure a frightful lung-racking cough that had defied all remedies for two years. After six months he returned, death dogging his steps. "Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery," he writes, "and after taking six bottles I am as well as ever." It saves thousands yearly from desperate lung diseases. Infallible for coughs and colds, it dispels hoarseness and sore throat. Cures grip, bronchitis, hemorrhages, asthma, croup, whooping cough. 50c and $1.00, trial bottle free, guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

### STATE PRIMARY TEACHERS.

**Fifth Annual Meeting Begins at Winston-Salem, N. C.**

Winston-Salem, N. C., Nov. 11.—The fifth annual meeting of the State Primary Teachers' Association convened here this morning with a good attendance. The morning was spent in observation of the Winston-Salem schools. In the afternoon, the routine work was taken up.

The address of welcome was delivered by Prof. W. S. Snipes and the response was made by Miss Anna Meade Michaux, the president of the association. Miss Bettie Nash, of Charlotte, delivered an address on "Phonics." There were word drills conducted by Miss Lillie Jones, of Durham, and arithmetic drills conducted by Miss May Alexander, of Asheville. After discussion of the subjects named above, Miss Julia Raines, of Greensboro, spoke on "Manual Arts in Primary Schools."

A reception was tendered the teachers tonight at the high school.

## STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

**Advertisements inserted under this head one cent per word for each insertion but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, one cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51, A. D. T. Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams but a small charge for strictly A. D. T. calls. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone No. 2. But for advertisements always call the Star office No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.**

**WANT TO BUY** a good milk cow with young calf that will give from 3 to 5 gallons of milk per day? Write price. W. W. Peterson, Atkinson, Pender county. no 12-1t*

**FOR SALE**—Lot of fine white Pekin ducks; in splendid condition, very best stock. Apply at Delgado Store. no 12-2t.

**PHOTOGRAPHS** of Taft and party. I have on sale photos of Taft and party, also the school children and views of the trip down the river. Anyone wishing to procure them, call on Lee Greer, 116 Market street. no 10-6t*

**A NEW ENTERPRISE**—Maloney Belting Co., Chicago, Ill., the largest manufacturers of leather belting in the West make Wilmington headquarters for Southeastern territory. We make a specialty of waterproof leather belting. Whale Brand, the mill man's necessity. Mr. A. E. Anderson, an expert belt maker, will be manager of Wilmington branch. no 9-1w*

**SULTANA OLIVE OIL**—Mr. Vafiadi, the Sultana agent here, has arranged to have this oil distributed in the future by Hall's drug store, Fifth and Castle. Pints 50c, Quarts $1.00. Phone orders filled promptly. no 4-tf.

**WE HAVE GUNS** to sell and guns to rent, at Uncle Charles' Pawn Shop, No. 108 Market street. oc 6 tf

**SEND YOUR FILMS** to the Gem Studio, 114 Market street. Any size film developed, ten cents. Any size picture finished for five cents. Titmas & Foltz, props. fe 17-tf.

**EITHER ONE OR TWO** gentlemen can secure large comfortable room with modern conveniences; centrally located, by addressing "W. A. R." care Star. no 11 tf

**FINE LOBSTERS** broiled on toast with hot butter. Junction Restaurant, 105 Princess street. no 11-tf.

**ATTRACTIVE COUNTRY HOME** near city, on macadamized road, for sale. Smith & Lord, Agents. 'Phone 766, 120 Princess street. no 11-tf.

**WANTED**—Man stenographer. Apply immediately P. O. Box No. 237, City. no 11-tf.

**FRED HOWE**, of Mobile, Ala., is seeking relatives left in Wilmington, N. C., about 20 years ago. Anyone related to the Howe or Payton families will kindly write. Marie Howe Jackson, Creola, Ala., Mobile county. no 11 2t

**FARM FOR RENT**—50 acres of good land for trucking and staple crops. Six-room dwelling, one and one-half miles south of Rocky Point, N. C. Apply (Miss) Annie Herring, care J. W. M. Hospital, Wilmington N. C. no 11-2t.

**WANTED**—To rent, dwelling in desirable location, on or very near street car line, seven rooms, modern improvements, roomy lot. Address with full details, Home Seeker, care Star office. no 11-2t.

**NEW DWELLING FOR RENT**—Modern and commodious home just completed at Sixth and Nun streets. Eight rooms, all conveniences. Granolithic sidewalks to be laid at once. B. F. King. nov. 7-tf.

**WE HAVE THE BEST** of reasons for saying the People's Building and Loan Association is the most progressive, the safest and the best Association to have stock in Our records show this. New series Saturday, December 4th. Shares 25c, worth $100 at maturity. Apply to D. R. Foster, secretary, for free booklet of information. Office 206 Princess street. no 7 tf

## STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

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**SHIP ME** your eggs, poultry, hams, hides, beeswax and any kind of produce. Will pay highest market prices and make prompt returns. N. C. hams a specialty. C. B. Bellois, 16 North Second street. 'Phone 1576. oc 31-tf.

**LOOK AT THIS**—An extra nice venison at the Palace Market. Monday morning early. Come soon; also new celery and lettuce. Palace Market. Phones 72 and 653. no 7 tf

**FOR SALE**—At half price, one 20-horse power saw mill in running order; will exchange for land or sell part cash, balance on time. Apply to W. C. Page, Falson, N. C. no 2 15t*

**PHOTOGRAPHS**—Nothing more appropriate for a Christmas Souvenir than a fine enlargement or a stylish photographs. The U. C. Ellis Studio. oc 19-tf

**FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN** to make room, Eclipse newspaper folding machine; also lot of type cases and stands. Address Wilmington Star Co., Wilmington, N. C. oc 12-tf

**A trained corsetiere from the designing rooms of the makers of Redfern Whalebone Corsets will be with us Monday, Nov. 15, and will remain all the week.**

She comes expressly to discuss with our customers the newest Redfern models.

These models were designed by the Redfern designer in Paris in conjunction with the great dressmakers and are endorsed by them as the correct foundation for Fall models, which are the ideas used by all the dressmakers of our country.

Redfern models are the highest expression of corset art. In designing, making, boning and fitting they are easily foremost.

**The boning is Arctic Whalebone. There is no better boning, or is there a boning that compared with Whalebone. Acknowledged by corsetieres and dressmakers as superiors to all other boning.**

**C. H. FORE & CO.**

no 12 tf

### IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina.

In the matter of E. M. Hunt Voluntary Bankrupt. No. 312 in Bankruptcy. To the Creditors of E. M. Hunt, of Hamlet, in the County of Richmond, in said District, Bankrupt: Notice is Hereby given, That on the 11th day of November, A. D. 1909, the said E. M. Hunt, of Hamlet, N. C., was duly adjudged bankrupt; and that the first creditors' meeting will be held in office of Lorenzo Medlin, Esq., in Hamlet, N. C., on the 24th day of November, A. D. 1909, at 6:30 P. M. o'clock, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. Geo. H. Howell, Referee in Bankruptcy. Wilmington, N. C., dated this 11th day of November, A. D. 1909. no 12 1t

### NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Cornelia Mallett, deceased, late of the county of New Hanover, this is to notify all persons having claims to exhibit them to the undersigned at 403 Southern Building, Wilmington, N. C., on or before the 12th day of November, 1910, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

JOSEPH W. LITTLE,
Public Administrator.
no 12-fr-6t.

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30 Bags Small Size C. C. Nuts
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11 Barrels Stick Candy.
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